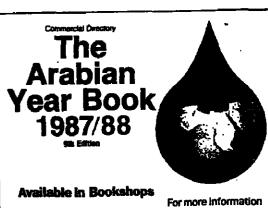


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Howe arrives for talks on Mideast

# Israel urged to take next Iran is ready to clear step in peace process

KUWAIT, Jan 2, (Agencies): British Foreign Secretary Sir Geoffrey Howe began a nineday Gulf tour in Kuwait today with a call to Israel to take the next step in the Middle East peace process.

In talks with the leaders of Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Abu Dhabi, Dubai, Oman and North Yemen, Howe said he would seek views on a broad range of regional concerns, notably the four-month-old ceasefire in the Gulf war and the "improved prospects for a dialogue in the Arab-israeli dispute.

Speaking on arrival in Kuwait, he said he would counsel patience and moderation in Arab-Israeli relations following PLO leader Yasser Arafat's re-

#### Announcement

Arab Times will tomorrow publish a 10-page supplement on Computers and Office Automation.

#### INSIDE

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nunciation of terrorism and recognition of Israel.

Howe, who was received by acting Premier and Foreign Minister Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmed, said: "The central lesson of the crucially-important Arab-Israel peace process is that it needs to be tackled with great patience and tenacity.

#### Progress

"Moderation is the key to further progress. The next crucial moves do have to come from Israel.'

Howe pointed out that Britain has played a significant role in expanding the scope of the existing dialogue on Middle East peace efforts, and is still pursuing a policy of persuasion to push the peace process forward.

British officials said the foreign secretary would urge his Arab hosts, notably King Fahd of Saudi Arabia, to use their influence on the PLO to stick to its promises despite Israel's lack of response so far.

"The important next step is to convert attitudes in Israel and we're not going to achieve that in a hurry," said a senior member of his party.

#### Opened

Howe said Britain attached great importance to peace and security in the Gulf and this would be central to his talks topic will be shifts in Soviet policy in the area, particularly its military pullout from Afghanis-

Howe will make the keynote speech of his trip on Wednesday in Saudi Arabia, where Arafat

ABU DHABI, Jan 2, (UPI): Pak-istan's Prime Minister Benazir

Bhutto said she has not yet been

told the state secrets and

promised to work to limit Pakis-

tan's nuclear potential to

"peaceful purposes only," the newspaper Ai Ittihad reported

Benazir, who became prime

minister on Dec 2, also told the

semi-official UAE daily that

Pakistan's Army indulged too

much in politics under late

military leader Gen. Zia-ul-Haq

and will be asked to accept

Benazir, the first woman

prime minister of a Muslim

OCCUPIED Jerusalem, Jan 2,

(AP): Soldiers today demolished

the homes of two Palestinians

suspected of involvement in

firebomb attacks and of dis-

tributing leaflets that urged resis-

tance to Israeli rule in the nearly

13-month-old uprising, the

wounded in clashes with Israeli

troops that erupted in four dif-

ferent towns and refugee camps

in the occupied Gaza Strip, Arab

news reports and hospital

In Jerusalem, police fired rub-

ber bullets and tear gas to dis-

perse Arab stone-throwing

Four Palestinians were also

military command said.

officials said.

democracy under her rule.

I have not been told state secrets: Benazir



TUESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1989

Sheikh Sabah (right) received Howe (left) at the Kuwait airport. (Picture by Mohammad Bedaq)

opened a new Palestinian mission yesterday, before meeting King Fahd later that day. The officials said there were no

plans for a meeting with Arafat. Britain last month upgraded its links with the PLO and iunior Foreign Minister William Waldegrave will take that process a step further later this month during a visit to Tunis.

Howe declined to comment on recent "arrangements" between Britain and Kuwait on reducing Kuwait's stake in British Petroleum. He only said; The

nation, came to power after Zia's death in a mysterious plane

Asked if her new administra-

tion would continue in widely-

reported efforts to make an

atomic bomb and whether Pakis-

tan has already developed such a

device, Benazir said: "I have not

been acquainted with the state

secrets yet, but I can say as of now

that I support the policy of keep-

ing nuclear weapons away from

power to producing energy for peaceful purposes only." Benazir told the Arabic-language news-

paper in an interview published today.

Israelis demolish Palestinian houses

protesters in the city's Arab sec-

tor, after a woman and a

policeman were injured by rocks,

police spokesman Rafi Levy

Renewed

Balata refugee camp in the

occupied West Bank came a day

after Israel renewed a crackdown

on activists by deporting 13

Palestinians to Lebanon. The

deportees arrived in Lebanon's

Palestinians in Gaza city

staged a spontaneous general

strike today, shutting their-businesses and public transpor-

tation, to protest the expulsions.

Bekaa valley yesterday.

house-wreckings in

"I will work to limit nuclear

the region."

arrangements were welcomed by both sides."

Howe said there was yet no indication of who plotted the terrorist attack which led to the crash of a Pan Am Boeing in Scotland last month and added: 'No country is safe from terrorism and hijacking. No country should provide protection to those who carry out such acts of terrorism.

Howe's trip will take him to most members of the GCC. Last month the six-nation group, which generally backed Iraq in

The Pakistani leader said her

priority on the domestic front

was to set up a "modern and professional army," but one that

should be kept away from

"The Army was too much indulged in politics, and this is an

abnormal situation which should be rectified," Benazir

said. But she acknowledged such a task will be "very difficult."

Changes

Army will be the last to accept the

democratic changes I intend to

introduce in Pakistan," she said.

her government will clash with the powerful Army, saying she

Six of the deportees were from

ted a 24-hour curfew on the strip.

The strike came as soldiers lif-

The suspects from Balata

whose homes were wrecked are

among nine in the camp detained

recently, who are active in the

movement Hamas, an Army

lawyers representing Palestinian

security prisoners announced

they would stay away from

military courts for one month to

protest what they described as

violations of their clients' human

Also today, West Bank

fundamentalist

the Gaza Strip.

communique said.

Muslim

But she ruled out suggestions

"I know in advance that the

Pakistan Army will be asked to accept democracy

politics.

its war with Iran, ended its first summit since the ceasefire with a call to Tehran to commit itself fully to a lasting peace.

From North Yemen, Howe will make a day-long stopover in Djibouti on his way back to

London next week. During his trip, he will also hold talks on further arms contracts in the region, a major sales area for British weapons. These include Kuwait's planned purchase of training aircraft, helicopter and patrol boats

worth about £150 million.

would use "persuasion and

On foreign policy, she said she would follow the same principles

pursued by her predecessors,

"The Red Army will have to withdraw from all Afghan

territory," she said in reference

to the 1979 Soviet occupation of

**US-PLO** 

dialogue

resumes

Saturday

ABU DHABI, Jan 2, (Agencies): The US-PLO dialogue will

resume in Tunis on Saturday,

two weeks before US President-

elect George Bush takes office,

the United Arab Emirates news-

paper Al Khaleej, quoting a top

Officials from both sides

earlier said the talks, which star-

ted Dec 16, would not be

resumed before Jan 20, when

Bush succeeds President

But Saeed Kamal, the PLO's

The newspaper quoted Kamal

PLO official, reported today.

dialogue.'

Afghanistan.

# Premadasa vows

'Iraq must accept UN Resolution 598'

NICOSIA, Jan 2, (AP): Iran's Navychief has said that his coun-

try will clear the Shatt Al Arab of

war wreckage and mines laid during the eight-year war with Iraq once Baghdad accepts a stalled UN peace resolution,

The broadcast, monitored in

Nicosia, quoted Rear Admiral

Mohammad Hussein Malek-

zadegan as saying that "Iran has

the complete readiness and tech-

nical capability to clear the Shatt

Arab waterway forms the south-

ern boundary between Iran and

Dredging

the waterway within the fram-

ework of UN Resolution 598,

and agreements are reached in

the peace talks on how to clear

the strait, we will start dredging

to clear the Shatt of any explosive

and dangerous substances," the

state-run television quoted

Iranian technical assistance to

other Gulf nations, stressing that

any dredging of Gulf waters must

be carried out by states in the

Last September, Malek-zadegan claimed the Iranian

Navy had already cleared its own

waters of any mines, and was

carrying out operations in inter-

Malekzadegan also offered

Malekzadegan as saying.

region, the television said.

national waters.

"When the time comes to clear

The estuary of the Shatt Al.

Al Arab of mines.

Tehran television reported.

**Shatt Al Arab of mines** 

But there has been no indepen-

dent confirmation. US sources said at the time they doubted that

Iran had the know-how or the

equipment for a successful mine-

Iran's Navy had four coastal

and two inshore minesweepers

when the war broke out in Sep-

tember 1980, along with a

squadron of six US-built RH-

53D mine counter-measures

Accused

only two of the Iranian mines-

weepers remain operational,

while the two surviving RH-53D

helicopters are no longer able to

Iran acknowledges laying

mines only for defence in its own

But foreign naval officers have

accused Iran of sowing most of the mines in the Gulf. US naval

officers say there may be up to

200 mines left, mostly in the nor-

**Patrois** 

his country claimed the right to

inspect ships in the Gulf, despite

our rights in the waters of Gulf

and Hormuz Strait and, accord-

ing to international regulations,

the ceasefire between Iran and

Iraq does not hinder the exercise

of those rights," he said.

Malekzadegan reiterated that

We will continue to exercise

them part of the waterway.

Western analysts believe that

sweeping operation.

helicopters.

clear mines.

the ceasefire.

waters.

President today dedicated himself to lead the strife-torn island to unity and peace as a powerful

especially on the question of This issue is at the heart of our national interests .... Afghanistan is our neighbour, and because of that we are paying for the tragic civil war - as there are over three million Afghan of fire-crackers exploded. refugees in Pakistan," Benazir

nearly 50 years in politics. Jayewardene has been beset in the past six years by a revolt by the minority Tamil community violent Marxist group from the

nation from the octagon-shaped balcony of the temple, said: "I dedicate to lead my people to unity and amity ... to peace and harmony.

tinuing an armed campaign to set

About 50,000 Indian soldiers are now in the north and east of the island trying to hunt down

Premadasa received a boost on

But the Tigers today said they would continue their fight

## Britons enjoying greater prosperity Babies can wait

LONDON, Jan 2, (Reuter): Britons are enjoying greater prosperity by taking more foreign holidays, watching more television and having babies later in life, according to a government handbook.

Nearly two thirds of all households have a car, three quarters have central heating and eight out of 10 have a telephone, says "Britain 1989" a 480-page volume covering political, econ-

omic and social affairs. "Britain has experienced an economic recovery and is now in its eighth year of successive

growth, with growth since 1980 being higher than in the other major European Economic Community countries," it Contraception and a trend

The Netherlands will make its towards later marriage mean first official contact with the that the average age at which women have their first child in (Continued on Page 2)

marriage has risen to 27, with most families having just two children.

Over a third of all pregnancies in 1987 were conceived outside marriage, and of those, over a third were terminated by legal

(Continued on Page 2)

patrols frequently inspected tankers and cargo ships in search of war material bound for Iraq.

The reported last challenge to shipping was on Dec 12 when Iranian gunboats intercepted a British supertanker, the 270,000tonne British Trident, in international waters.

Gulf shipping sources said the tanker was bound for the Iranian terminal at Sirri island and the incident appeared to be a misunderstanding.

Iran accepted an uncon-ditional UN-mediated ceasefire Aug 20, but peace talks that started in Geneva five days later stalled over Iranian insistence that Iraqi troops be withdrawn to internationally recognised boundaries before the talks coul i proceed.

#### Insistence

Another snag in the UN-sponsored peace talks was Iraq's insistence the Shatt Al Arab waterway, its main outlet to the sea, be cleared of war wreckage.

The two sides dispute where the border runs, with Iraq claiming the whole waterway while Iran says a 1975 treaty draws it down a median line. Iraq declared the treaty void before the war started.

Iran claimed that clearing the Shatt was a secondary issue not included among the points in the UN Resolution 598, which it sees as the basis for a peace treaty.

NEW DELHI, Jan 2, (Agencies):

Death warrants were today

issued for two Sikhs convicted of

the 1984 killing of Indian Prime

Minister Indira Gandhi, hours after President Ramaswamy

Venkataraman turned down a

final mercy plea.

A New Delhi judge issued

"black warrants" against Sat-want Singh and Kehar Singh and

had them delivered to the warden

of the capital's Tihar jail, indicat-

ing that execution might be

Satwant Singh, 24, was one of two bodyguards who turned

their guns on Indira on Oct 31,

1984 in revenge for her ordering

an Army assault against extremists who had taken over

the Golden Temple of Amritsar, Sikhdom's holiest shrine.

At least 1,200 people died when troops stormed the temple in July 1984 and 4,000 more in a

wave of anti-Sikh violence after

Conspiracy

Singh, was shot down seconds

after the assassination but his

uncle Kehar Singh, 54, was con-

victed of conspiracy and senten-

ced to hang along with Satwant.

Bhushan told reporters there

were still many courses open for a

further appeal. "I can definitely

say there will be (more) court

Kehar's senior lawyer Shanti

The second killer, Beant

Indira's murder.

Death

Indira

killers

imminent.

warrants

issued for

#### New Sri Lankan President sworn in

# to restore peace

KANDY, Sri Lanka, Jan 2. (Reuter): Sri Lanka's new Tamil guerrilla group vowed to

continue its separatist rebellion.

Ranasinghe Premadasa,

prime minister for the past 11 years, was inaugurated today at a Buddhist temple in the sacred city of Kandy, the island's for-mer capital, 115 km (70 miles) from Colombo.

The new President was sworn in at 10.40 am (0510 GMT), a time deemed auspicious by astrologers, to thunderous applause from tens of thousands people who chanted "sadhu, sadhu" (blessings) as hundreds

Army commandos and hundreds of policemen enforced tight security as an estimated 500,000 people thronged the picturesque city nestling in the cen-tral highlands.

Premadasa, 64, is the first commoner to rule the Indian Ocean island of 16 million people since independence from Britain in 1948. He succeeded Junius Jayewardene, who retired after

in the north and east, and by a

## majority Sinhalese community in the south.

Premadasa, in a speech to the

Dubbed the "common man's president," Premadasa repeated his invitation to the rebels to join in the democratic process.
"I am available at anytime,

anywhere, for any discussion in order to arrive at constructive

solutions," he said.
The Liberation Tigers of Tamil Eelam (LTTE), the biggest Tamil guerrilla group, has rejec-ted a pact signed by Jayewardene and Indian Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi in July 1987 and is conup an independent state.

and disarm the Tigers

the eve of his inauguration when, at his request, India announced it was withdrawing two battalions, 2,000 to 3,000 troops, from the island in the next few days.

against the Indian forces. (Continued on Page 2)

> But R.S. Sodhi, counsel for Satwant, said only: "A minimum of 24 hours time has to be given by the authorities before execut-

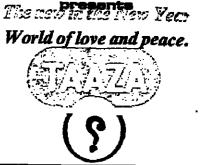
proceedings," he said.

ing the convicts."

Venkataraman had previously turned down Kehar Singh's mercy plea but was directed by the Supreme Court on Dec 16 to reconsider it with a wider inter-

pretation of his powers. With the rejection, the stay against the execution of Kehar Singh and Satwant Singh has been automatically vacated.

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Reagan. representative in Egypt, said, "the second round of talks between the United States and the PLO will begin in Tunis on Saturday," the Sharjah-based daily reported. as saying the talks will last three days and will be attended by US Ambassador Robert Pelletreau and PLO executive council members Yasser Abd Rabbou and Abdalla Hourani, as well as PLO representative in Tunis Hakam

Kuwait condemns terrorism

## FBI welcomes Arafat's offer of help

KUWAIT, Jan 2, (Agencies): Kuwait sent the United States condolences today over the Pan Am jet crash in which 270 people died and said it condemned terrorism.

The acting Premier and Foreign Minister Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmed sent the message in a telegram to US Secretary of State George Shultz. Sheikh Sabah called for inter-

national co-operation to stop the "dangerous phenomenon" of

In Washington, FBI director William Sessions, anticipating a long investigation into the crash of the Pan Am Flight 103, said vesterday he welcomes any information PLO Chairman Yasser

Arafat can provide. Arasat " has a great deal of information, a wealth of information he can give us," Sessions said. The FBI director added that contacts between the FBI and the leader of the PLO presumably could be set up by the State Department.

Responsible

Sessions interviewed on two US television network program-mes, ABC's "This Week with David Brinkley" and NBC's "Meet the Press," said it may take a long time to discover who is responsible for the jetliner

But the White House said yesterday it had received no offer from Arafat to help track down

National Security Advisor Colin Powell said President Reagan had not received any message from the PLO by late Saturday, White House spokes-man Roman Popadiuk said.

Popadiuk also denied that the United States had initiated a request to the PLO to ask for help in seeking out those responsible for the crash of the Boeing 747.

Investigators have said a bomb planted aboard the New York-bound Boeing 747 caused its mid-air explosion on Dec 21 over Lockerbie, Scotland, killing all 259 people on board. Eleven people on the ground are missing

and feared dead.
Sessions said, "I'm very optimistic. We have a pattern and reputation for being able to solve" such crimes.

While welcoming Arafat's help, Sessions said he opposes any attempt by the PLO leader to retaliate by killing any suspects.

Believe Asked about reports that Arafat is consider organising an assassination team, Sessions said, "We believe in the system of justice. We hope those people are handled in the courts."

Arafat has blamed terrorists

for bringing down the jetliner, condemning it as an "inhuman criminal action."

Sessions said he has no evidence to confirm the bomb was the work of terrorists, rather than an individual acting against someone on board the jet.

## SAS flights delayed after bomb threats

STOCKHOLM, Jan 2, (Reuter): Some flights at Stockholm's international airport were badly delayed today atter Scandinavian Airlines System (SAS) was told of a possible attack on one of

Airline spokesman John Herbert said Sweden's secret police had received an unspecified threat against SAS from police in Budapest. He did not elaborate.

"We are taking the threat seriously and security is stringent at all our airports," he said. "But we don't know who has made the threat as the police have not given us all the details."

The tip-off through the international police organisation Interpol was the second threat SAS had received in three days.

On Saturday the airline said it was warned that a SAS domestic flight would be attacked because of Sweden's mediating role which led to the United States agreeing to open direct negotiations with the PLO.

A note sent to the Swedish newspaper Aftonbladet said: "Within three weeks a SAS internal flight will be blown up because of (PLO leader Yasser) Arafat's visit to Sweden."

Herbert said there was no information suggesting that either threat was linked to last month's crash of a Pan Am Boe-

ing 747 over Scotland. He said the extra security had aiready caused severe delays and would mean extra costs for the airline, in which the governments of Sweden, Norway and Denmark have a 50 per cent stake. Messures

As a result of security measures following the threats, some charter flights have been delayed by up to 13 hours. Scheduled flights have suffered much shorter delays.

Swedish newspaper speculated that an Iranian fundamentalist group was planning an attack as revenge for Sweden's recent involvement in the negotiations with the PLO. Herbert said he had no such

information. "Right now we have no idea who is behind this. But Interpol has advised us to consider the latest threat seriously," he added.

Sweden in early December arranged a meeting between Arafat and a group of American Jews, and soon afterwards the PLO implicitly recognised Israel and renounced terrorism.

Sweden was instrumental in coaxing Arafat to clarify the PLO stand at a news conference in Geneva, a move which persuaded Washington to open talks for the first time in 13 years.

## **Communist Party lags behind** in perestroika: official

MOSCOW, Jan 2, (Reuter): The Communist Party is lagging far behind the rest of Soviet society in implementing Kremlin chief Mikhail Gorbachev's "perestroika" reform programme, the party daily Pravda reported

It quoted a senior party official. Leon Onikov, as saying the party had failed in particular to introduce the concept of openness or "glasnost" despite Gorbachev's specific instructions to do so.

"A disproportion in the pace of democratisation in various spheres of society has appeared and even broadened," he said. 'And perestroika in many sectors of the party is markedly lagging behind perestroika in

Gorbachev has said that a majority of Soviet people back his reforms to make life more democratic and streamline the economy. But he has warned that the reforms are challenged by

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conservatives whose positions are threatened by change.

Onikov, an official of the party's policy-making central committee, said many undernocratic principles of party organisation set up by dictator Josef Stalin remained in place. Stalin, he said, "crudely trans-

formed" the party's principles laid down by state founder Vladimir Lenin by concentration power in the hands of relatively few officials and abolishing rollcall voting.

Onikov said small groups of officials were still responsible for issuing resolutions, monitoring their progress and reporting on their effects, instead of a vast promised reform under which all party members had equal rights.

Plans for glasnost in the party to be implemented by Nov 1986 had been unfulfilled, he said, and Gorbachev had subsequently urged party bodies to draw up legal guarantees on the matter.

Hezbollah and Amal clash for third day in row

## Rival Shiite groups battle in Beirut, South Lebanon

BEIRUT, Jan 2, (Reuter): Rival Shiite Muslim militiamen battled today in South Lebanon and broke a Syrian-mediated truce in Beirut where they fought for the

third day in a row.
Police said the pro-Syrian
Amal militia and the Iranianbacked Hezbollah batteld with rocket-propelled grenades and machineguns in the southern Beirut suburbs of Chiyah, Ghobeiri, Hay Madi and Bir El-Abed. In South Lebanon, they blas-

ted each other's positions with artillery, mortars, rockets and heavy machine guns at Iqlim Al Tufah, 60 km (37 miles) south-

east of Beirut. The two sides blamed each other for breaking the ceasefire in the southern suburbs hours

Woman

offers to

stay alone

in cave for

after it began today.

A Syrian officer, part of a force which deployed in the suburbs in May to end three weeks of inter-Shiite battles, said Hezbollah was responsible for violating the

#### Gunmen

Militia sources and witnesses said ten people — six civilians. two Hezbollah gunmen and two from Amal — had been killed since the Beirut battles began on Saturday. They said two baby boys and a woman were among

Amal sources said three of their fighters were wounded in the suburbs over the weekend while the official national news agency said dozens of people had

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, Jan

2. (AP): Divers continued sear-

ching the grey waters of Guan-

abara Bay today for more vic-

tims from an overcrowded excur-

sion boat that sank on-New

Year's Eve, drowning at least 51

Meanwhile, police said they

would seek to bring homicide

charges against those responsi-

ble for letting the boat sail with

too many people and for ignor-

ing Port Authority orders to

bodies already have been taken

out, but there always is the pos-

sibility of finding more," said Lt.

Pedro Paulo Albuquerque of the

washing up on Rio beaches in the

next couple of days," the lieuten-

to 150 people were on the 100-

capacity boat at the time of the

Sightseeing

The double-decked sightsee-

ing boat Bateau Mouche was

under 65 feet (20 metres) of water

near Sugar Loaf Mountain, a

picturesque Rio landmark close

Chief Irineu Barroso of Rio's

10th police precinct, in charge of

the criminal aspects of the case.

said authorities "hope to indict

"We also may see some bodies

Various reports have said 130

fire department's naval group.

"We think the majority of the

remain at shore.

ant said.

accident.

to downtown.

been wounded.

Amal sources in South Lebanon said their fighters seized a Hezbollah position in the village of Ain Buswar.

Residents said Hezbollah militiamen in the hills sniped at strongholds in villages con-trolled by their rivals. Sidon residents reported explosions echoing across the hills of Iqlim Al Tufah, Hezbollah's last bastion in the south since Amal forced about 1,000 of its fighters out of the area in April.

A Hezbollah statement said Amal had attacked its positions after agreeing last month to end its feud with the PLO, led by Yasser Arafat.

The attack came after the (Amal leader Nabih) Berri-Arafat accord and after Arafat

Rescue workers prepare to unload bodies recovered after the boat Bateau Mouche sank in Rio de

Divers continue search for victims

someone for criminal homicide.

We are taking statements from survivors, and they are telling us

that something aboard that boat

was not right."

Cid Castor, a director of

Itatitaia Turismo, the Rio travel

agency that booked the ill-fated

cruise, said the head of its excur-

sion department drowned on

with him. We are in mourning,"

The passenger list went down

Castor said his company had

no responsibility for the actual operation of the outing, which

was to take revellers to a spot off

Conacabana beach to watch

"We are simply ticket sellers,"

Few other details about the

passengers, crewmen and even a

samba band on board were

The Bateau Mouche tipped

over and sank as it was leaving

Guanabara Bay, crossing a choppy zone behind Sugar Loaf

and heading for the open Atlan-

Luxury yachts and smaller

Copacabana beach to watch the

spectacular display of New Year's fireworks picked up

survivors from the stormy waters

heading toward

Unavailable

New Year's fireworks.

At least 51 revellers drowned in Rio boat disaster

that boat.

he said.

Castor said.

unavailable.

tic Ocean.

boats

recognised the Zionist entity and agreed to stop armed struggle against the enemy," statement said.

Amal sources said the accord stipulated that the PLO, which controls refugee camps near Sidon and used to provide military support for Hezbollah. would stop backing the pro-Iran-

An Amal spokesman said the fighting today flared because Hezbollah was trying to prove that it still had military muscle in the south.

at the mouth of Rio's Guanabara

"We rescued about 30 people from the sea," said Valentino

Ribeiro, captain of the

Casablanca, a boat that was host to a private New Year's Eve on-

board dinner party. "It was terri-

ble, there were people every-where screaming for help. We

took those we could and left the

bodies. We couldn't take on any

Attraction

Chiaravalli, from Monza, and a

Spanish / tourist, Celestino

Mouzo Lema, 58, were among

the dead, said morgue official

Gilda Oliveira. A second Italian,

Paolo Mantegazza of Turin, was

reported missing, said Italian consul general Pasquale Quinto

cause of the sinking, but we think

it was because of excess

capacity," said Maj. Oldemiro

Santos, also of the fire depart-

ment maritime group. "The sea

taurant said "the boat was in

perfect mechanical shape."

Blanco of the sponsoring res-

was very rough.

An Italian, 63-year-old Silvio

more.

Syria deployed hundreds of its troops in Beirut last May to end Amal-Hezbollah fighting there in which 500 people were killed. The rivalry again crupted in violence for five days in November, killing 29 people.

Iran and Syria have mediated scores of ceasefires to quell the Shiite power struggle which pits

brother against brother. Hezbollah, believed to hold some of the 17 Western hostages in Beirut's southern suburbs, emerged with Iranian money and arms to challenge Amal for leadership of Lebanon's 1.5

The latest conflict followed talks between Iranian officials and Sheikh Mohammed Mehdi Shamseddine, vice-president of Lebanon's Higher Shinte Coun-cil, during a 20-day visit to Tehran last month.

Shamseddine said he had pressed for an end to the Amal-Hezbollah dispute and an Iranian envoy from Tehran was expected in Lehanon soon.

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gestures to the Marxist People's Liberation Front, which has been attempting to toppic Jayewardene's government in the past few months.

The front opposes the agreement with India and attempted to disrupt last December's presidential poll by attacking polling stations, election workers

and voters. Premadasa said in order to ensure the island's independence. Sri Lankans should settle their disputes among themselves through a process of consulta-

Create

"We should not and will not create situations that provoke or invite (foreign) intervention," he

"Whatever the cost, I will not surrender an inch of Sri Lanka territory. Whatever the cost, I will not surrender a shred of our

provide more resources to develop the country's economy.
"We must reallocate resources from defence to development."

he said. He has promised to wipe out poverty from the island by giving a monthly subsidy of 2,500 rupees (\$76) for the next two-

years for up to two million families now subsisting on food

#### **US-PLO** dialogue ...

PLO in Tunis next week, a spok-

esman for the Netherlands embassy said today. Henry Wijnaendts, director of

Sunday to meet PLO leaders, he

with visits to seven countries involved in the conflict, Spanish Foreign Minister Francisco Fernandez Ordonez said today.

organise an international peaceconference under the auspices of the United Nations, an idea

available for comment.

Police entered the guesthouse

The flat-bottomed boat that sank about 15 minutes before the New Year was a popular tourist attraction offering daily sight-seeing cruises on Guanabara Bay.
"We don't know the exact

The envoy said Chinese authorities had earlier asked African diplomats to help settle a standoff with the students and the authorities, who were demanding the handover of nine alleged ringleaders of the campus

"We demand an explanation. If we are not satisfied we will make an official protest," Mamah said.

He said Chinese were inconsiderate of Africans.

"They think all is possible.

They pay the money," he added.

Most of the 1,500 African students in China are studying at Beijing's expense.

dirty beasts," the diplomat said. The African diplomat described claims by Hehai University head Liang Ruiju that violence by Africans had trig-gered the Christmas Eve clash as a "tissue of lies."

The incident began with a row over the admission of two Chinese women to an African student

"It is a problem of superiority. The Chinese cannot accept an African with a Chinese lady." said Mamah

Africans at Hehai University on Christmas Eve, according to China's official media.

alleged violence. No Chinese has been arrested.

## Chinese accused of torturing **African** students

BELIING, Jan 2, (Reuter): An African diplomat said today he suspected police of torturing African students after racial clashes in the east China city of Nanking and had demanded an explanation from the auth-Mamah Gobo Bio, a senior

diplomat from Benin, quoted witnesses as saying police forced two students from his country to strip and gave them electric shocks with cattle prods during a raid on Saturday on a guesthouse housing 158 students. "I suspect Chinese police of

torturing two of our students, We cannot sacrifice our students in the name of friendship," said Mamah, first secretary at Benin's embassy in Beijing. Criminal

"If this goes on our students will not come to China any more. Even in South Africa this would be criminal. Chinese have no consideration of Africans."

The diplomat said other African students at the scene had named the alleged victims of torture as Dieudonne Mejnenoù and Boni Ludovic. He said Mejnenou suffered from a heart con-

Chinese Foreign Ministry

after the Africans had refused to co-operate with investigations into a racial clash at Nanking's Hehai University on Christmas

Mamah quoted students as saying police beat seven mem-bers of a student committee with truncheons and took the two students from Benin outside.

They were ordered to strip in cold weather and had cattle prods, or electrified truncheons which are frequently used by Chinese police, applied to their legs in front of their fellow students, he said.

**Violence** 

"Our students are ready to go home rather than be treated as

injured

Thirteen people were injured in violence between Chinese and

Thousands of Chinese later took to the streets, some shouting racial abuse and demanding that Africans be punished for

In a separate dispute, about 50 African students in Hangzhou, 250 km (150 miles) southeast of Nanking, said today they would continue a week-long classroom strike because of attempts to isolate them from Chinese

## **Premadasa** vows to restore peace

Premadasa also made peace

tion, compromise and consen-

sovereignty."
Premadasa said he planned to

(Continued from Page 1)

political affairs at the Foreign Ministry, and Robert Serry, head of the ministry's Middle East office, will arrive in Tunis on

initiative

The European Economic Community will begin a Middle East peace initiative immediately

The central aim of the plan is to

Israel strongly opposes.

The 12-nation community has created a diplomatic "troika" comprising Spain, France and Greece to pursue plans for the international conference. They will represent the EEC in talks with Israel, the PLO and the

United States, among others.

#### Babies can wait (Continued from Page 1)

Life expectancy is now about 72 years for a man and 78 for a woman, compared with 49 and 52 years respectively at the begin-

ning of this century.

The number of people smoking continues to fall, but cigarettes are considered to be the greatest preventable cause of illness, accounting for 100,000 premature deaths a year. Twenty million Britons went

abroad in 1987, two thirds on package deals, with Spain. France and Greece the most popular destinations. Home ownership has soared. partly encouraged by the Conservative government's policy of

selling local authority housing to tenants, and the number of people owning their homes has more than trebled in the last 35 years. Nearly all households have a television set and the average viewing time is 28 hours a week, with growing numbers using

video recorders to watch

programmes at more convenient

## Flights cancelled

MADRID, Jan 2, (AP): The fourth in a series of recent 24hour strikes by jet mechanics forced state-owned Iberia Airlines to cancel at least 55 flights today and delayed 15 others for more than an hour, a company spokes-

man said. Jose Maria Estrade said flights to and from Amsterdam, Paris, Lisbon, Zurich, Vienna, Copenhagen, Rome and Lyon, France were among those cancelled as of 1 pm (1200 GMT).

The company had 351 flights scheduled for today, he said.

#### Gang violence

LOS ANGELES, Jan 2, (AP): A carload of gang members shouled at a 16-year-old youth. then sprayed him with bullets during a holiday week-end of shootings that left two dead and capped a record year of gang violence.

The death of Adam Lopez, 16, brought to more than 330 the number of deaths attributed to gang violence in the county in 1988. In 1937, 284 died.

#### months CARLSBAD, New Mexico, Jan 2, (AP): Stefania Follini of Italy says she volunteered to stav alone in a cave for several months because such experiments involving isolation have long intrigued her. The 27-year-old woman from Ancona, Italy, is scheduled to

descend into lost cave in early January for a stay of at least four, and probably five, months. "I understand there will be a lot of scientific interest in this, and I want to add my contribu-

tion," she said through an inter-Ms Follini was originally scheduled to enter the 21-foot (6.4-metre)-deep cave early yes-terday, but problems in getting United States-bound computers through Italian customs has pushed back the starting date about a week, project organiser Maurizio Montalbini said.

The purpose of the cave marathon is to find out how a person reacts to such an experience. The only voice Follini will hear will be her own, and she will not have a clock or calendar. She'll have no idea when the sun rises or sets, though

she'll be able to turn on the lights whenever she wants to. Montalbini once spent seven months in a cave, and others have spent up to six months underground. Without being able to refer to the sun, people's daily cycles are thrown off. They sometimes pass 48 hours bet-

ween the time they wake up, got to sleep and awake again. Follini said she was fascinated by news of Montalbini's underground stay, and decided to volunteer when she heard his frontier explorations and researches group wanted to send a woman into a cave. If she stays four months, Follini will set a women's duration record for

isolation in a cave without being able to keep track of time. She'll have plenty of reading to do. She has collected a cache of 400 books - histories, novels and a book of English grammar.

Follini speaks Italian and Span-The 110-pound, 5-foot-5-inch (49.8-kilogramme, 1.65-metre) woman said she plans to keep fit by practising judo. lifting weights and doing gymnastics. She will be able to cook on an

electric stove, and plans to stick to a vegetarian diet. She'll live in a 100-square-foot (9.2-square-metre), plexiglass-enclosed module at the end of the 250-foot (76-metre)-long, 50foot (15-metre)-wide cave. The ceiling is about 15 feet (4.5

metres) high. Equipped

The module will be equipped with four IBM personal computers - two for communicating with four scientists who will monitor her from a mobile home at the caves entrance, and two for

tests of her brain functions.

In addition to attaching brainwave monitors to her head at times, Follini will monitor her heart rate. Scientists will be able to monitor her via video camera and microphones.

The experiment will allow researchers to make comparisons with the isolation of lengthy space travel.

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## Castro pledges to remain loyal to socialist principles

Cuba marks anniversary of revolution

President Fidel Castro reaffirmed his hardline socialist principles yesterday in a nationally televised speech marking the 30th anniversary of his communist revolution.

force than ever; socialism or death, Marxism-Leninism or death." Castro declared. The statement of ideological purity comes at a time of new challenges in ties with the Soviet

"Today, we say with more

Union, Africa, and Latin On other fronts, Cuban diplomats say a visit here by Pope John Paul II may be possible in 1989. and Cuba has hinted it wants a more constructive relationship with the United

tions this weekend. Castro spoke in the eastern coastal city of Santiago. A large crowd gathered for the speech, made from the bal-cony of the building where he proclaimed victory for his guerrilla forces on New Year's Day, 1959.

Enormous

taining strict adherence to social-

ist principles because of the

Castro told them he was main-

As part of anniversary celebra-

has to the peoples of the Third World.

He devoted much of his speech broadcast on state-run television, however, to praising the role played by the people of San-tiago and other eastern cities in his revolution and Cuba's independence from Spain in

On New Year's Eve 1958, Cas-

tro ousted a rightist dictatorship.

touching off a revolution that

has made him the undisputed leader of this Soviet-allied Caribbean nation. Castro has used Soviet economic aid — estimated at \$5 billion annually — to help build schools and hospitals. But the Soviets say he has neglected industrial development, prompt-

cutbacks. Opposes

ing speculation whether the dis-

pleasure will lead to Soviet aid

Castro is an advocate of socialist purity and opposes any policy that borrows from capitalism. He has spoken scornfully of the political and social reforms proposed by Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev, saying the "consequences would be hard"

for Cuba if the Soviet experiment encounters "serious difficul-"So we may be in for difficulties coming from the enemy

camp and difficulties coming

from the camp of our friends," he said last month.

The recent Cuban commitment to withdraw its 50,000 troops from Angola by 1991 presents another step toward scaling back Cuba's involvement in international conflicts. Cuba has given military support to

ment to Angola was by far the biggest. Meanwhile, Castro has been aggressively pursuing interests common to other Latin American countries.

Castro attended recent presidential inaugurations in

many countries, but the commit-

Ecuador and Mexico and may participate in the inauguration of the Venezuelan President next month. Castro also has indicated interest in a more relaxed relationship with the United

States. In remarks to the national assembly last week, he said he would not neglect any opportunity to improve US-Cuban rela-

Egypt asks

Israel to

respond

to peace

CAIRO, Jan 2, (UPI): Egypt said it is appealing to Israel and all

peace-loving nations to respond

positively to the Palestinians'

"sincere and genuine" desire for

In a New Year's peace message

distributed by the Middle East

News Agency, the Minister of

State for Foreign Affairs Butros

Ghali urged the Israelis to soon

assume their "positive role at this historic stage" to help achieve just and lasting peace in the Mid-

"Egyptian diplomacy is appealing to Israel, and this is

shared by all peace-loving

nations, to respond positively to the sincere and genuine call (of the Palestinians) for peace."

Egyptian diplomacy is anx-

ious that Israel will soon play its

positive role at this historic stage

Ghali said.



Holding a flag of the rising sun, 90-year-old Kenji Muramatsu prays for the recovery of ailing Emperor Hirohito. (Reuter wirephoto)

Well-wishers offer New Year greetings

## Hirohito fights on for life

TOKYO, Jan 2, (AP): Emperor Hirohito remained in serious but stable condition today as members of the imperial family can-celled their traditional Jan 2 New Year's appearance for the first time in 21 years because of his

5.7

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At least 19,000 people took advantage of a rare opportunity to walk through the palace gates in order to sign registries of support for the ailing monarch.

The 87-year-old emperor, bedridden since a haemorrhage on Sept 19, suffered internal bleeding 'early today, palace, sources said on condition of anonymity.

A statement from the imperial household agency said that des-pite the internal bleeding, there was no major change in his con-

At midday, doctors attending Hirohito were uncertain whether the internal bleeding hati stop

Hirohito received 2.1 pints of blood in emergency transfusions Sunday following a "substantial" haemorrhage, palace officials said. He has received a total of 30,465 cubic centimetres (64.4 pints) of blood since he fell ill.

ped, the palace sources said.

Hirohito and his immediate family customarily appear behind bullet-proof glass on a palace balcony in the east garden before thousands of well-wishers waving paper red-and-white Japanese ilags.

Kenji Muramatsu, 90, was among the first to arrive early today. The retired schoolteacher came wearing a traditional Japanese kimono and carrying a tattered Japanese flag, which he said he has kept since World War

II.
"I came to pray for the emperor," he said. "I want him to get well and live as long as

He did not say how many were involved but judicial sources put

the number at several hundreds.

Linked

Up to 40 judges sit in the

The mass resignation came

The Judges' Council said the

resignations were prompted by a

Finance Ministry study to adjust

their salaries, which the council

hundred Tibetan students and

teachers marched peacefully

through Lhasa calling for greater

use of their language and a ban

on the use of weapons against

demonstrators, Western and

American tourist who was

photographing the Friday march

was detained at gunpoint and

was legal and there was no inter-

ference form police, who rode in

vehicles at the front and rear.

They said the marchers planned

Detained

At least one person - a Budd-

hist monk waving the Tibetan

flag of independence - was

killed on Dec 10 when police

opened fire on demonstrators in

the city centre. Foreign

diplomats believe the death toll is

Tibet say that 50 people, includ-

Merwalli El Sharawi.

Newspapers have said clan-

destine groups of fundamental-

ists, who regard most music,

television shows and dancing as

blasphemous, are trying to

enforce strict Islamic laws in at

least one Cairo district and some

Reports from Westerners in

another demonstration.

The sources said the march

They also said that an

Tibetan sources said today.

later released.

higher.

three days after civil servants lin-

ked to the judiciary began a strike

Supreme Court members.

Supreme Court.

to press for better pay.

Takeshi Nonogaki, 48, travelled about 480 kilometres from Aichi prefecture in eastcentral Japan with his 16-year-old son Shinichi to sign the regis-"My son said he would like to

see inside the palace and I thought it was important to bring him here, especially now that the emperor is gravely ill." Nonogaki said. "I believe respecting the head

of your country leads to respecting your family and your company on individual level," he said. "I think it's good for people to learn those feelings."

The imperial family's New Year appearance was last can-celled between 1964 and 1968 for a major renovation of the palace. The custom, which began in 1948, was also called off in 1952 because of the death of Empress Taimyo, Hirohito's mother.

judiciary is the responsibility of Sudan's joint presidency, the

Leaders of Sudan's trade and

professional unions told Mahdi

today that ending the civil war in

the South was the only way to put

the crisis-plagued country on the

The war with the rebel Sudan

People's Liberation Army

(SPLA) has forced millions of

southerners to flee their homes

and worsened effects of a famine

that killed tens of thousands of

five-man supreme council.

path to economic recovery.

## Hundreds of judges resign in Sudan

KHARTOUM, Jan 2, (Reuter): Hundreds of Sudanese judges resigned today in protest at what they called government interference in their affairs.

The resignations coincided with increasing pressure on Prime Minister Sadeq Al Mahdi from trade and professional union leaders to put an end to five years of civil war in the south.

Judiciary head Mohammed Mirghani Mabrouk told the official Sudan News Agency (SUNA) that all the country's judges had given him their resignations today except for

Indian

cricketer

#### said was outside the governpeople last year. ment's responsibility. Tibetans march

NEW DELHI, Jan 2, (Reuter): Indian test cricketer Navjot Singh Sidhu, charged with beating a motorist to death after a traffic accident, gave himself up to police today after a week in

surrenders

hiding. Sidhu and his passenger Rupinder Singh reappeared hours after a judge in the Punjab town of Patiala promised them bail if they helped police with their investigations and did not try to leave the country.

Homicide The Press Trust of India

agency said Sidhu, 25, and his companion Rupinder Singh had been charged with culpable homicide following the death of Punjab union leader Gurnam Singh, who died during a scuffle after his car had run into Sidhu's.

Sidhu a right-handed batsman who helped India defeat a touring New Zealand side last month, said through a lawyer that Gurnam was not touched but simply collapsed and died.

The Patiala judge set Jan 18 for the next hearing of the case.

peacefully in Lhasa been arrested since the clash. BELIING, Jan 2, (Reuter): Two

The sources said six plainclothes police detained American John Sevcik, pushing him into a jeep and holding a revolver to his head. His camera and film, along with the cameras and films of two European tourists, were also confiscated.

The marchers carried four banners, calling on the authorities to fulfil a promise made in July 1987 to use Tibetan as the language for all Tibetan affairs, for Tibetans to be able to follow their own customs and lifestyle and for weapons not to be used against demonstrators.

Africans

Meanwhile, diplomats in Beiiing said African students should continue studying in China despite anti-black violence in Nanking and racial tension in the eastern city of Hangzhou.

The diplomats said the training provided low-cost technical skills needed for development and that students would be sent here as long as China was willing

## ing eight Buddhist nuns, have Militants urged to renounce violence

CAIRO, Jan 2, (Reuter): Egypt's top Muslim clergymen, acting after a government appeal for help to end growing fundamentalist violence, urged hardliners to renounce force as anti-

The call by a group of top theologians at Al Azhar, the oldest seat of Islamic learning. followed a month of violent incidents involving Muslim

"Islam decisively rejects violence, coercion or violation on the rights of others in the name of religion," they said in a

towns in upper Egypt.
They said bearded young men statement appealing for dialogue had banned wedding parties in the Cairo district of Ein Shams, and persuasion rather than force. About 10,000 people packed the 1,000-year-old Al Azhar where a police officer was stabbed to death last month and at Mosque and thousands more least 300 people, mostly funstood outside to hear the damentalists, were arrested in statement read by Egypt's lead-ing Muslim scholar, Mohammed clashes with police.

In the town of Assiut, 380 km south of Cairo, police arrested scores of Muslim militants last week after university professors received death threats and students were attacked with chains, jack-knives, batons and

## Kabul regime refuses to step down

## Najib gets tough with rebels

ISLAMABAD, Jan 2, (Reuter): Afghan President Najibullah said his Soviet-backed government will not quit and warned that Western-backed mujahedeen rebels will be taught a lesson if they continue fighting, the official Bakhtar news agency reported today.

The President spoke last night on Afghanistan's state-run radio and television networks as his unilaterally declared ceasefire in the 10-year-old war began. Rivalries

The Muslim rebels have dismissed the ceasefire and vowed to fight on until all Soviet troops leave the country and Najibullah's government is top-

Najibullah said "some persons and circles still irresponsibly think" that peace would return if his People's Democratic Party (PDPA) government left the

"No, it is not so. Such persons and circles are committing mistakes," he said.

He said bloodshed would go on for a long time because of the

17th marriage

not a big deal

for American

BIRMINGHAM, Alabama, Jan 2, (UPI): Cleveland Yelder has been married 16 times but when

he tied the knot again last month, wife No. 17 said it was no big

. "I never heard of a man being

married that many times," said the latest Mrs Cleveland Yelder,

48. "But it didn't bother me a bit.

Yelder, 46, said his divorces

"In all those marriages I've

never killed anyone. I've never

shot anyone," he said in an

But, Yelder said, one time a

sister-in-law stuck him with a

knife while he was arguing with a

Yelder said that he survived on

disability payments for the next

12 years and was married 11

He has been married to 15 dif-

ferent women. Records show

that Yelder married the same woman in 1965, 1976 and in

Shortest

separated later that month and married again on Oct 14. Among his marriage memories: Marriage No. 4 in

1969 lasted 10 months before

separation, No. 5 in 1971 lasted

six months, No. 6 in 1973 lasted

one month, No. 8 in 1974 lasted

five months, No. 11 in 1977 las-

ted three weeks, No. 12 in the

same year lasted five months.

lucky No. 13 in 1978 lasted two

weeks, No. 14 in 1979 went two

months and No. 16 in 1984 lasted

five weeks before separation,

according to sworn testimonies

He met his current wife, Ethel,

at a friend's house. They feel in

Aquino seeks

manufacture of

MANILA, Jan 2, (UPI): President Corazon Aquino

today said she is asking Congress

to lift a ban on the use of fire-

works and instead regulate

their manufacture and sale after

firecrackers left 15 New Year's

revellers dead, more than 2,500

ban on fireworks "has been hon-

oured more in violations than in

enforcement" and said she was

sending to Congress a bill that

would "regulate the manufac-

ture, distribution and use of

firecrackers and other pyrotech-

She said the many deaths,

maimings and injuries and des-

truction of property during the

weekend's festivities could have

been avoided had there been

regulation and control of the

manufacture and sale of fire-

explosions that rocked two

illegal fireworks factories last

A US serviceman and his step-

son were killed Friday while they

were preparing a giant

firecracker to welcome the New

News reports said more than

2,500 people were injured with

Police said at least 25 people

were killed by stray bullets and

drunken brawls during New

Year's celebrations in the capital.

which took on the atmosphere of

a war zone as Filipinos exploded

firecrackers, set tyres ablaze in

the streets and fired their guns.

Fires caused by firecrackers

ripped through six areas in

Metropolitan Manila early Sun-

day, leaving more than 15,000

New Year's fireworks.

Thursday.

Thirteen people were killed in

Aquino told reporters a 1966

injured and 15,000 homeless.

to regulate

firecrackers

in the divorces.

The shortest marriage was in

times during that time.

show that marriages can be

ended without violence.

interview.

previous wife.

keeps on (pursuing) the military solution they will be given such a lesson that they will realise very soon the futility of their choice,

rivalries between rebel groups "of the present state of the

Republic of Afghanistan pulls

Najibullah repeated his call to

rebels to join a peace conference

with his government but he used

the toughest language in recent

"However, we will certainly put into effect one more thing

that if the opposition stubbornly

out from the political scene.

months to them.

He said if the rebels agreed a permanent ceasefire would con-tinue as a prelude to peace.

Compromise "We are ready to meet with all

opposition forces concerned in a peace gathering as a first step towards an understanding and compromise," Najibullah said. He said he hoped such a con-ference would "remove all obsta-

cles and barriers created in the past 10 years and pave the way for attaining compromise in all

He said Kabul had made many proposals to the rebels for dialogue and ending the war.

"We are prepared to hold talks with the opponents based on these proposals or any other reasonable and objective plan, at any suitable place, time and at any level for the sake of the people and future of the country.

Unity talks

Meanwhile, Afghan rebels have invited groups based in Iran to unity talks before considering further discussions with the

Soviet Union, rebel leaders said. Burhanuddin Rabbani, head of one of seven parties that comprise the Pakistan-based muja-hedeen alliance, told a news conference the guerrillas wanted "a single platform and a single position" before a second round of talks with the Soviet Union.

Rabbani met Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Yuli Vorontsov in Saudi Arabia on Dec 3 and 4. He said on Sunday the alliance would next meet Soviet date had been decided

Another Pakistan-based alliance leader, Gulbuddin Hekmatyar, said at the news conference the guerrillas were undecided whether to meet the Soviet negotiators a second time.

We must decide whether it will be useful or not before we meet the Russians again," Hekmatyar said.

Coalition Moscow has invited the Iran-

based rebels to talks and has asked former King Zahir Shah to join in attempts to form a broadbased government after the withdrawal of Soviet troops.

Under accords signed in Geneva in April ali Soviet troops are scheduled to leave Afghanistan by Feb 15.

Rabbani visited Tehran last week for talks with Iranian officials and an eight-party Afghan opposition group based

He said his alliance had invited the Iran-based group to Peshawar, the town in north-western Pakistan where the mujahedeen

and that like all peoples in the area, the Israeli people would make their contribution to help achieve lasting and just peace in

the area ..," he said.
Ghali said Cairo is convinced beyond any doubt that the Palestinians have chosen peace and peaceful co-existence with Israel.

Ghali urged Israel to accommodate itself to needs of the Palestinians "stretching out their hands for peace" by acknowled-ging their right to self-determina-

This in turn will make peace possible between Israel and "Palestine," the minister said. Yasser Arafat, head of the

Palestine Liberation Organisation, proclaimed on Nov 15 an independent Palestinian state in the Israeli-occupied territories.

Arafat also recognised key UN resolutions acknowledging Israel's existence and renounced all forms of terror, a move that has led to the start of the US-PLO dialogue on Dec 16. Ghali warned that "cold

peace" and what he also described as "aborted peace" bet-ween Egypt and Israel will continue as long as the Jewish state's failure to respond positively to the Palestinians' call for peace

## **US** provides pictures of Libyan chemical plant

LONDON, Jan 2 (UPI): The United States has supplied satellite pictures of a suspected chemical weapons plant in Libya to its allies in an effort to prove the factory is making banned chemical arms, the International

Herald Tribune reported today. But while the US allegations are being taken seriously in Western Europe, there are doubts in two NATO capitals that the photographs being supplied by US intelligence show "con-clusive evidence" of chemicalweapons manufacture at the Libyan site.

A West German intelligence source, who spoke to the newspaper on condition he would not be named, said Bonn has received over the past three weeks "satellite photos," from the US Central Intelligence

Turkey lost a record 2.85 million

workdays in strikes last year and

labour officials predicted further

militancy in 1989 if the govern-

ment does not improve pay and

given their rights otherwise they

will be moved to go on strike. We

also hope the government will give us more freedom," Orhan

Balaban, a senior official of the main Turk-Is Union Confedera-

Two-year collective bargain-

ing contracts covering 600,000

public workers in unions want-

ing to cut shackles imposed by

the Army after the 1980 coup are

Unions in sectors including oil

and energy, food, arms produc-

tion, sugar, road construction,

maritime and banking are seek-ing wage rises of over 100 per cent

Lost

showed a record 2.85 million

workdays were lost in 503 strikes

last year, more than double the

1.30 million days and 220 strikes

in 1980 during political

upheavals that led to the coup in

September of that year.

Official and union statistics

to offset inflation.

due for renewal early this year.

tion, tele Reuters today.

"We hope our workers will be

Agency of the Libyan facility in question.

But the difficulty on our side

is that there is no conclusive evidence in the photographs to support the Americans' opinion that chemical weapons are being made there," the West German official said.

A British intelligence source told the newspaper the photographs provided by the United States show a facility that resembles chemical weapons fac-tories in Iraq. The sources said the conclusion being drawn by Washington is based on such comparisons.

The British official said the comparison was not entirely convincing, noting there was no clear photographic data on the kinds of material being supplied to the Libyan facility. A US diplomatic source in

London last week described the photographic data on the site as "pretty good." Some of the images are understood to have

The figures compared with

1.96 million workdays lost in

1987, 234,940 the previous year

"Last year will be remembered

by workers as the most dreadful

yet from the viewpoint of labour rights in Turkey," Turk-Is head Sevket Yilmaz told reporters at

Yilmaz, whose organisation

embraces two-thirds of Turkey's

three million unionised workers

out of a total workforce of 18

million, said: "Resistance will

begin (this year) if wage rises

above the current rate of infla-

Prime Minister Turgut Ozal's

Motherland Party, whose five-year term ends in 1992, for their

Grievances include inflation.

now at an eight-year high of

nearly 90 per cent, a low min-

imum monthly wage, complex strike rules and a ban on unions

The Geneva-based Inter-

engaging in political activity.

Unions blame conservative

tion are not secured in talks."

and 1.40 million in 1977.

the weekend.

problems

Turkey may witness

more strikes in 1989

been taken by high-flying, super-sonic US SR-71 spy planes. The Bonn-based West Ger-

man intelligence official told the International Herald Tribune the photographs of the Libyan plant show a large facility that appears to be a chemical factory and which is "heavily fortified." While such fortification would 'seem inconsistent" with Libyan

claims that the plant is solely for the production of pharmaceuticals, the West German source said, 'The problem remains that you can only see the shape of a plant, nothing else there are no hard facts." "We're not saying that the

American position is completely foolish - we're taking Washington's opinion very seriously," he said. "But we've been trying to obtain more information from our own resources. We've been unable to do so, and thus we're back to square one."

## Thousands attend Rangoon funeral

RANGOON, Jan 2, (Reuter): Big crowds filled Rangoon streets today for the first time since a bloody Army takeover in September as people turned out in strength for the funeral of the widow of national independence hero Aung San.

Witnesses said more than 100,000 people led by Buddhist

Some students defied the authorities by carrying banners of the National League for Democracy (NLD), the biggest opposition party, which is led by Aung San Sun Kyi, daughter of the

Playcards

national Labour Organisation has been critical of curbs on unions in Turkey, which applied in April 1987 for full membership of the European Economic Com-

monks and marshalled by students walked in procession behind the coffin of Khin Kyi, who died last Tuesday aged 75.

After the funeral the crowds

dispersed peacefully. Aung San Suu Kyi and other family members walked behind the coffin, which was carried in a flower-strewn hearse in the slow procession through tree-shaded

It moved from Khin Kyi's residence by Inya Lake to a grave in an area reserved for the nation's most respected citizens

close to the Shwedagon Pagoda. Groups of students, who were in the vanguard of last summer's thwarted uprising against military-led socialist rule, marched at the head of the procession carrying placards identifying their colleges. Many wore NLD

Witnesses said at one point on the route near the university campus a small group began chanting pro-democracy slogans and waving banners, but this appeared to be an isolated

The military authorities had warned against the funeral being turned into a political demonstration, saying it could lead to another round of disturban-

ces." The security forces, who killed hundreds of demonstrators when they opened fire on Sept 18 to enforce the military takeover, kept a low profile with only small detachments of troops seen in the

"Quite a number of soldiers were in the procession itself and a couple of government ministers were seen in the vehicles that followed the walkers," one Western

## Benazir-Rajiv meeting dominated SAARC summit

#### South Asia needs to break barriers ISLAMABAD, Jan 2, (Reuter): six hours at a retreat in

South Asian leaders have set their countries on a new path to fight the scourge of drugs and poverty while acknowledging that "windows of the mind" need opening to ensure lasting

The seven-nation South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) was boosted by the first meeting of the young prime ministers of India and Pakistan at its fourth annual summit from Dec 29-31.

However, the region containing a fifth of the world's population still needs to break some of the barriers that have sprung up over decades of conflict and dis-

"The most important of these barriers are the psychological barriers," said Indian Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi, 44, in his closing address to the leaders of Bangladesh, Bhutan, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan and Sri Lanka.

It is the windows of the mind that first need uncurtaining,' said the leader of the group's largest nation.

In three days of talks, including one session lasting more than Islamabad's scenic Margalla Hills, the seven vowed to fight the drug trade and alleviate the hardships of the poor by the year 2000.

The so-called "Islamabad declaration" expressed "grave concern" over drug abuse, particularly among young people.

It declared 1989 "SAARC

year for combatting drug abuse and drug trafficking" and said the leaders "recognised the need for urgent and effective measures to eradicate this evil."

Pakistan Prime Minister Benazir Bhutto, 35, described drug abuse as "a major scourge threatening the future of our youth." Benazir, with a combination

of charm and resolve, gave impetus to the organisation which in three years of existence had few concrete achievements to its credit.

**Improve** 

Bangladesh President Hussain Mohammad Ershad said in closing remarks that the summit had brought home the need to improve the lives of the common

Addressing Benazir, he said:

"You have injected fresh input, new insight and a dynamism that has vitalised our efforts."

The kings, presidents and prime ministers set out a project called "SAARC 2000 — a basic needs perspective."

"They were conscious that all South Asian countries faced problems in areas such as food, clothing, shelter, education, primary health care, population planning and environmental protection," the declaration

Ershad, conveying the importance the project will carry for the region's impoverished millions, said it "could radically transform the living conditions and quality of life of all the peoples of the region.

**Violence** 

The summit, after a year of political violence in Sri Lanka and India, endorsed moves to carry out the convention on the suppression of terrorism agreed at last year's summit in Kath-

Members would adjust their laws to comply with the convention, a sign there could be greater co-operation to arrest and bring acts of terrorism.

Until India sent 50,000 troops to SriLanka in 1987 to enforce an accord with Colombo to end a campaign by separatist Tamils, the Sri Lankans alleged Tamils were given refuge in the southern Indian state of Tamil Nadu.

In their declaration, the leaders avoided mentioning the nuclear issue in a regional context, but they did call for more money to be spent on develop-

ment and less on weapons. They urged that "resources saved through disarmament measures should be diverted in particular to developing coun-

tries." The leaders, conscious that major achievements are needed to bring the organisation closer to the people it represents, called on the group for more action and

less taik President Ghulam Ishaq Khan said in a banquet speech that the future of the region ought to be better than the

present.
"This is just what we owe to our people. This is what we have got to do. We just don't have an option." he said.

## Reminder to prospective employers of Filipino maids

A PRESS release from the Embassy of the Philippines reminds employers of housemaids, to submit the housemaid employment application to the embassy before applying for the visa or the No Objection Certificate or sending air tickets to Manila. A visa or NOC is not a guarantee of approval of an application, the release said.

It further added that Filipino housemaid may only be employed by immediate members of the family of heads of state and government, ministers. deputy ministers and senior government officials and members of the diplomatic corps and duly accreditted international organisations.

Employers from countries with whom the Philippines have bilateral labour agreements or understanding can also hire Filipino housemaids.

#### Marine cable project to link **Kuwait-Bahrain**

THE Director of the International Telecommunications Department at the Ministry of Communications, Adel Al Ibrahim, has said that the ministry's assigned ad hoc technical committee will resume its meetings to discuss details of the proposed submarine cable installation project to link Kuwait with

He told a local newspaper that the project aimed at linking the Gulf states to other countries in the region, such as Iraq and Turkey and also to the countries in Eastern Europe. He also said that it would provide highefficiency communication services, including TV transmis-

He said that the relevant technical staff at the ministry had finished installing emergency telephone sets along the 5th and 6th Ring Roads, and that this service will be expanded since it has shown encouraging results.

#### 4-year jail term for drug dealer

A DRUG dealer was sentenced to four years imprisonment with hard labour followed by deportation and a fine of KD50.

The court was told that the man imported the contraband from Egypt with an intention to sell it. CID men managed to the drugs.

Meanwhile, a man was sentenced to seven years in jail with hard labour or a fine of KD200 to suspend the sentence after being accused of attempted rape. The accused had tried repeatedly to rape his father's maid. The court was told that the man's father reported the crime when he learnt of his son's evil intentions.

#### **Health awareness** programme soon

KUWAIT, Jan 2, (KUNA): The Arabian Gulf states' Joint Programme Production Institute has started preparations for the production of the third stage in the health awareness programme "Salamatak" (your safety).

The institute's Director General Abdul Wahab Sultan stated today that the programme is mainly concerned with spreading health awareness among

He added that the institute has also started considering the reproduction of some of its distinctive children's programmes such as Sesame Street, Boy Scout, Our Land and Nutrition. Members of the institute include the six Gulf Cooperation Council states and Iraq.

The reproduction 'salamatak,' comes in response to Gulf health ministers' recommendations, and will be financed by the seven countries' health ministries.

#### Project expenses now KD66 million

THE total cost of major construction projects, projects executed for ministries and other government agencies has mounted up to KD 66 million, KD31 million of which, is allocated for projects currently under construction, according to an official source at the Ministry

of Public Works. The source added that a total of KD24,707,000 was allocated for the construction of the new telecommunications building and tower, KD4.928,000 for the Mishref district centre, whose construction is already behind schedule and KD1,340,000 for

the Amir market.

A balance of KD35 million was distributed among projects constructed over the year 1988, including those for the ministries of Education, Awgal and Islamic Affairs, Social Affairs and Labour and Public Health.

## **Expansion planned at Kuwait International Airport**

THE Kuwait International Airport will be expanded this year, according to Issa Al Mazidi, the minister for service affairs.

Such an expansion is necessary to meet the increase in air traffic movements he said and added that Kuwait will review bilateral ments between the country and the Civil Aviation Directorates of other countries. observing that such a review will be made in light of the benefits received by Kuwait through such agreements. He said that there was a new

project for the maintenance of the airport buildings. The Kuwaiti Civil Aviation Directorate will procure new air navigation technology to match international developments in this respect. The official added that the directorate had arranged several training courses for airport employees in order to upgrade performance. Further, the directorate has agreed on the greening of areas surrounding the airport as a part of the afforestation project.

In an interview with a local daily, Mazidi denied previous discussion on denarture fees imposed on passengers travelling by air. He said that the proposal

will be discussed by the cabinet in the near future when the fee will be defined. An Amiri decree will be issued following the cabinet's

endorsement. Other projects are to be implemented this year, to meet with increasing traffic in the country's ports in the wake of the ceasefire between Iraq and Iran. The expansion will include shipping ports and the telecommunication network.

The Public Ports Authority will construct several buildings at Shuwaikh and Shuaiba ports in addition to carrying out several electrical and shipping works which had been designed to keep the standard of development previously witnessed by the country's ports.

The expansion plans in respect of the telecommunication network of the Public Ports Authority include the linkage of the network with the central com-

Mazidi disclosed that the ministry will take several measures aiming at alleviating work procedures at the authority, hinting that several training courses for employees have been arranged inside Kuwait and in other

## Interior Ministry official raps Kuwait media

LIEUT Col Sa'id Al Sa'id, assistant director of the prisons department at the Ministry of Interior believes that the local information media, like television and newspapers, play an important role in improving awareness in society, but also considers the fourth estate in the country is badly directed and believes it should be better organised to serve its purposes. Imitation

He proposes that the media should keep away from issues that push young people into blind imitation. Western ideas and values do not agree with our environment and norms of society, he said.

The official added that most teenagers feel a great need to improve themselves but blind imitation has led to family breakups. He said that the information

media plays a role in distortion of views, especially by the young. Other officials have blamed the media for the spread of narcotics considering this phen-

omena as dangerou Sheikh Ahmed Al Qatan said that efforts must be made to overcome the spread of narcotics in the country. Addicts harm both themselves and society by committing theft, murder and other crimes.

Dr Ibrahim Marouf, director of the mental diseases hospital has said that addicts do not willingly come forward and force has to be used. He added that addiction is caused by several factors, namely, family breakups, high income, parental neglect, and parental addiction. He said that a high rate of Kuwaiti students who are studying outside Kuwait are addicts.

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The study clearly indicates

that the rates of per capita con-

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dom have far exceeded the rates

of individual consumption in the

developing countries, therefore

the kingdom has passed in this connection from the level of the

## Rise in Saudi food production and consumption: study

Oils and fats

Red meats

THE Saudi Ministry of Agriculture and Water has released the second study entitled "The Balance Sheet of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia from (1974-1976) to (1983-1986)". The study, supported by facts and figures, shows that food consumption of the Saudi individual and the food production of the kingdom, had considerably risen. The study highlights an impressive increase in the per capita consumption of calories, protein, fat and other food categories, during the period 1983-88 as compared to the period 1974-76. The study underlined the following important indicators: 1. Increase in the individual daily

food consumption: • From 1807 calories for the period 1974-76 to 3012 calories for 1983-86.

• From 51.31 gms total protein for the period 1974-76 to 84 gms for 1983-86. • From 33.6 gms of total fats for 1974-76 to 95 gms for 1983-

2. The following table shows the increase in per capita consump-tion in the food groups for the period 1983-86 compared to

Food Groups	1974	1983	9,6
•	<b>!76</b>	/86	of the
i	Kgs	Kgs	raise
Grains	94,4	122.6	30
Sugar	17.6	28.1	60
Veg.	56.9	93.4	64
Veg. Fruits	97.8	137.2	40

developing countries to that of the developed nations. Increase Wheat production has escalated from 3,000 tonnes in 1975 to more than 3 million ton-

nes in 1988; eggs production has increased from 1,247 tonnes in 1975 to 137,000 tonnes in 1987 (about 2.5 billion eggs); broiler meat from 14,291 tonnes in 1975 to 246,000 tonnes in 1987; dairy products from 1800 tonnes in 1975 to 198,000 tonnes in 1987; greenhouse plantations produce about 237,385 tonnes annually which resulted in a considerable increase in the vegetable production, thus generating a seasonal surplus for export; The production of red meat has considerably increased; dates production had risen from 200,000 tonnes in 1975 to 500,000 tonnes in 1987,

with an improvement in the

## quality and excellence in packing and processing. **UK used SAS commandos** in Oman in 1958: report

LONDON, Jan 2, (AP): Thirtyyear-old government documents made public new year's day reveal that former Prime Mini-ster Harold MacMillan used SAS commandos to preserve British interests in the Arabian Gulf Sultanate of Oman, 'The Observer' newspaper reported.

The documents were released by the public records office under rules permitting publication of selected confidential papers after a 39-year lapse.
In 1958, rebels were fighting

the Sultan of Oman and endangering Britain's plans to use an air base at Masirah and its interest in oil deposits believed to exist in the Sultanate, the newspaper said.

Criticism

But the use of British troops to crush a rebellion was considered certain to attract international criticism and the newly released cabinet documents show how concerned MacMillan and Foreign Secretary Selwyn Lloyd were to avoid such an outcome,

The Observer' said. Britain has had close ties with the Sultanate — an absolute monarchy - for nearly 200

In July of 1958 the Sultan accepted 23 British officers for his army, including a commander and the nucleus of an air force to put down the rebels, 'The Observer' said.

It said the new commander was Col. David Smiley, a former officer of the M16 intelligence branch who had been involved in blowing up post-war refugee ships intended for Palestine.

The military assault plan was cancelled over concerns about international criticism, but a government working party suggested Britain instead conduct a special operation by commandos of the clandestine Special Air Services regiment.

The plan was approved and the cover story, the newspaper said, was that the 100-man SAS squadron was training the Sultan's army. A second squadron was sent in December and by January 1959 the SAS had put the rebels to flight, 'The Observer'

#### Seven out of ten loaves eaten by Arabs are imported

## Arab world must learn to feed itself

The average self-sufficiency of Arab countries in wheat was 46

per cent between 1978 and 1981.

Between 1982 and 1985 it was 37

per cent and is still falling, said

Delegates said ,Arab buyers

Hassan Al Nouman from the

take about 20 per cent of the total annual world wheat market.

Sharjah Chamber of Commerce

said that if current agriculture and population trends contin-

ued, "in the year 2000, when the Arab population reaches 260

million, at least one third will definitely face starvation."

**Self-sufficiency** 

present population of over 190

million ran up a food import bill of around \$30 billion in 1987.

Delegates believe that could dou-

Despite increased production,

self-sufficiency in other major

foods is also slipping.

Over the same period, self-sufficiency in all cereals dropped to
40 from 58 per cent, in vegetables

to 78 from 98 per cent, and in vegetable oils to 39 from 60 per

cent, the federation's figures

disparities between poor nations such as Sudan, crowded coun-

tries such as Egypt, and sparsely populated and barren but weal-

thy oil producers like the Gulf

Farming

The problem is aggravated by

Jabr said the Arab world's

SHARJAH, Jan 2, (Reuter): Thousands of years ago, farmers working the fertile lands of the Arab world fostered the growth of great civilisations.

Now, however, the region becomes less able to feed itself every year.

Regional officials at a special conference in Sharjah recently said that unless Arab states started co-operating to produce more, poorer states would even-tually face such huge import bills that regional security could ultimately be threatened.

"Our target is to be self-sufficient. But our consumption is increasing annually by seven per cent while our production is increasing by two per cent,' Falah S. Jabr, secretary-general of the Arab Federation of Food

Industries, said in an interview.

Around 3000 BC, wealth based on the surplus of cereal crops from the fertile lands of Mesopotamia, watered by the Rivers Tigris and Euphrates, had already made possible the founding of Sumer, one of the first great civilisations.

Shortage Babylon and Assyria followed. Farther west, the alluvial meadows of the Nile underpinned the empires of the Egyptian pharaohs and later became the granary of Rome.

Now a grain shortage is at the heart of the problem. 'The Arab world will require

about 49 million tonnes of wheat in the year 2005, of which expected local production will not exceed 28 million tonnes," said Wheat production in recent

years has ranged between 12 to 15 million tones. Consumption is well over double that and rising. "Seven out of 10 loaves eaten

by Arabs are imported," the United Arab Emirates Economy and Trade Minister, Saif Ali Al Jarwan, told the four-day con-

Bahraini premier

BAGHDAD, Jan 2, (KUNA):

Bahraini Premier Sheikh Khalifa

Bin Salman Al Khalifa conferred

here today with Iraqi President

Saddam Hussein on ways to

upgrade bilateral relations and

the current situation in the Arab

world and the Gulf region in par-

The Guif News Agency

(GNA) reported from Baghdad

that the Bahraini premier briefed

the Iraqi President on the

decisions taken by the six GCC

leaders during their sixth Sum-

mit concluded last month in

The Bahraini chief executive,

who was accompanied by his

Foreign Minister Mohammed

Bin Mubarak Al Khalifa, Educa-

tion Minister Dr Ali Omar Fak-

hru, Communication Minister

Ibrahim Mohammed Hassan

and other senior Bahraini

officials, was received on arrival

by members of the Iraqi

Revolutionary Command Council and First Deputy

Premier Taha Yasin Ramadan

and senior Iraqi officials in addi-

tion to GCC ambassadors in

accompanying delegation left later for Bahrain.

Kuwaiti families can

KUWAITI families can now

adopt one or more orphans as per well-established constraints,

and undertake raising and

protecting them to become good

and productive social elements,

according to reliable sources at

now adopt orphans

The Bahraini premier and the

Baghdad.

visits Baghdad

## OIC call to support **Palestinian revolution**

NICOSIA, Jan 2, (Reuter): The Organisation of Islamic Conference (OIC) called on the world community on Sunday to sup-port Palestiman rights to establ-ish an independent state.

OIC's newly-appointed Secretary-General Hamid Al Gabid, on the 24th anniversary of the Palestinian revolution, also praised the 13-month-old Palestinian uprising against Israeli rule of the West Bank and

Gaza Strip. ster of Niger, was appointed head of the 46-member OIC in place of Sharifuddin Pirzada. who held the post for four years.

Responsibility

"shoulder their responsibilities towards achieving security and peace to enable the Palestinian people to establish their independent state."

KUNA adds: deputy speaker of the Palestine National Council Salim Zaanoun has lauded Kuwait's support to the Palestinians and their struggle.

of the Fatah Central Committee particularly cited four of HH the Amir's official addresses in which full support to the Palestinian uprising was voiced.

establishment of an independent Palestinian state.

Two of the main problems are

The effect of rising living stan-dards accounts for at least half of

the annual consumption

Annual per capita consump-

tion of eggs rose to four Kg (8.8 pounds) in 1981-83 from 2.2 Kg (4.8 pounds) in 1970-72. Con-

sumption of poultry more than trebled, consumption of red

**Block** 

tively, often because of lack of

education and reliance on

traditional methods, is a major

crop yields we could cover about

75 per cent of demand," said

Arab grain yields of about 4,000

Kg per hectare (3.700 pounds per

acre), compared with a US/

European average of roughly

4,500. But this drops to 800 Kg

per hectare in many other parts

The Arab fishing industry

reflects these problems, said

Izzat Feidi, project manager at the Bahrain office of the Arab countries Fish Marketing

The present total catch, much

of it taken by peasant fishermen

in wooden craft that have not

changed for millennia, is 1.4

That is what we are aiming to

million tonnes a year.

turbing stocks.

to rot on the beach.

stop," said Feidi.

Egypt still has the highest

"If we could double our total

block to increased production.

Failure to use resources effec-

increases, said Jabr.

meat doubled.

of the region.

Bureau.

Zaanoun who was speaking on the occasion of the 24th anniversary of the Palestinian revolution also praised Deputy Premier and Foreign Minister Sheikh Sabah. Al Ahmed whose address at the UN General Assembly meeting in Geneva condemned US acts against the settlement of the Palestinian question.

The Palestinian Revolution, he said, opposes Israeli plans to halt the 13-month-old 'intifida' by offering a truce and added that Palestinians in the occupied territories will step up confrontation against Israeli troops and use live ammunition if necessary.

Representative of the Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine, Samih Qassim hailed the Palestinian struggle and condemned the capitulationist policy behind the truce call.

Chairman of the Kuwait Lawyers Society Mishari Ossaimi speaking on behalf of Kuwaiti Unions praised Palestinian steadfastness in the Occupied Territories and urged Arab people everywhere to extend full support to the upris-

Ossaimi criticised the mere lip service paid to the uprising by some states and called the 'intifada' an outstanding historic phenomenon in modern Arab history.

#### the Ministry of Social Affairs during his visit to Washington and Labour. 'Sadu' could be a national industry

KUWAIT, Jan 2, (KUNA): Before the exploration of oil nearly half a century ago, Kuwait relied mainly on trade and fishing for pearls as a source of revenue, but those professions along with other traditional crafts vanished following the oil

As recently as 10 years ago, Kuwait saw it fit to revive one of its known crafts, namely 'sadu' (weaving of woollen textiles), by establishing the Sadu House, which has the possibility of turning the craft into a national industry with economic

Kuwait University staffer Dr Mohammed Al Haddad said that a scientific team conducted a study toward such a goal in Jahra, Sabahiya and Fahaheel where this craft is still thriving.

Dr Al Haddad indicated that the one-year study, sponsored by Al Sadu House aims at compiling a list of people who can work in this profession, especially women who account for 3 per cent of the total Kuwaiti work He said that the study, which

researched 200 people who prac-

ticed or still practice Sadu weav-

ing, revealed that 95 per cent believed that the inavailability of

Sadu centres is the main obstacle

so that young people are encouraged to learn the craft.

Also commenting on the results of the study was Director of the Sadu House Sheikha Altaf Salem Al Ali who emphasised the role of women in this profession

and asked for government help in creating a Sadu manufacturing unit. This goal she said can be reached by opening more Sadu

training centres.
She noted that besides promoting handicrafts these centres provide a fit place for housewives, especially those with a low education level.

Sheikha Altaf said that turning this old craft into a national industry requires a specialised body, which would supervise the activities of the Sadu centres.

Two British trade missions to arrive

TWO British trade delegations will visit Bahrain this month on the first leg of a Gulf tour, which also includes UAE.

A trade mission from Bristol, sponsored by the Bristol Chamber of Commerce and Industry in conjunction with the British Overseas Trade Board, will arrive first in the Island 14-16th January. The twelve-member mission will comprise of representatives of a

mixed group of industries in the United Kingdom largely from the

A British Embassy spokesman told the Arab Times that the purpose of the Bristot mission's trip will be to assess new export potential of English products in the island and to promote existing

Among the industries represented will include drinking water, medical equipment, fire safety, carpet and interior decor.

The mission, headed by A.R. Parker, will be available to discuss general commercial, activities concerning the west of England. It will meet officials of the Bahrain Chamber of Commerce, trade associations, existing clients and prospective buyers during its

From Bahrain the mission will proceed to Dubal and Abu Dhabi. A Cardiff trade mission, organised by the Cardiff Chamber of Commerce and Industry, will visit Bahrain between 27th-30th January. The mission will comprise of thirteen members, representing diverse fields such as industrial transportation, laboratory equipment instruments, pouttry, industrial doors, wire and elec-

## **Kuwait question-bank** for public education

THE Educational Research Centre of the Ministry of Education has begun a project to form a question-bank for public education from the scholastic year 1986/87, according to Dr Eaas Jassem, the director of the centre.

Feidi said that could be quickly raised to four million using a modern fleet, without dis-The bank will contain questions covering the primary stage There is much waste. Fishersyllabus. The project will be men around the coasts of the carried out by a committee cons-Gulf and Oman traditionally do isting of supervisors from the not eat sardines that come up with the bigger fish. They are left public education department and experts from both the centre

and the faculty of education. Jassem added that the centre is undertaking a study to evaluate and develop basic education in Kuwait. The study is considered

as one of the first in the Gulf. The centre also participates in different educational meetings organised by the ministry and other Arab organisations. It has

set up several technical commit-

tees to carry out studies on cer-

tain subjects, including the

the situation of national education through textbooks and the reconsideration of English, Arabic and other studies. He pointed out that the centre has organised a training course on the principles of educational

research, in which 19 of the centre's researchers participated, The centre provides resear-chers and students with required data and information. It studies, prepares reports, and submits

comments on research, reports

and projects which are referred to the centre through official channels of the ministry. Such studies include traffic awareness in textbooks, patriotic education, ability to unify English studies in GCC states and a report on the educational

specifications in the Arab world.

## Egypt's suspension a problem for Arabsat

NICOSIA, Jan 2, (Reuter): The main problem facing the Arab League's space agency Arabsat is ster was quoted yesterday as say-

Alawi Darwish Kayyal, minister of posts, telegraphs and tele-phones, told the Qatari daily Al Raya that Arabsat has lost between 25 and 45 per cent of its income because of Egypt's suspension from the Arab League.

Asked about the status of Egypt's membership of the space agency, he said without elaborating: "There are certain measures which will be implemented for its return to Arabsat." Return

Several Arab states are now pressing for Egypt's return to the Arab League. It was suspended in 1979 after it became the only Arab state to sign a peace treaty

with Israel. made satellites in orbit controlled from Saudi Arabia and Tunis for television and telephone services. It plans to launch a second generation of satellites

Dangers
Kayyal also said he believed Saudi Arabia had succeeded in limiting what he called the possible dangers from Israel's first home-produced satellite, laun-

ched in September.

Israel said the Ofek-1 satellite was for technological and scientific projects, but Western European space experts said its main mission would be to spy on the Arab world.

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the house and the Ministry of

Awkaf and Islamic Afairs

towards the enlightening of the

public on activities of the house

and organising lectures in

The house has carried out

several projects including: the

spreading of the Holy Quran,

sacrificed meat distribution and

projects for the patronage of

schools around the country.

Omar disclosed that there exis-

ted a close relationship between 4.

had already attended.

## **Zakat House to implement** several new projects this year

THE Zakat House intends to achieve some pioneering feats on the Islamic level in the coming year, according to Fuad Abdullah Al Omar, director-gen-

eral of the house. In an interview with a local daily, Omar said that the house will enhance its informational activities in the GCC countries for collecting zakat (alms) to be

distributed to needy Muslims. He clarified that the house obtained its resources through co-operation with the government, institutes and the private sector. He added that the house spared no efforts to enhance coordination with private schools in order to secure seats for needy students and it had arranged for professional training courses for

#### Specialised training in family medicine

THE head of the family medicine division at the Kuwait Institute for medical specialisations, Dr Mansour Ibrahim Sarkho has said that a special seminar has been organised for medical graduates of the years '85, '86 and '87.

The seminar will be held to give these graduates a comprehensive idea on two specialist training programmes in family

Sarkho said that the training programmes were of one and two years duration, and participants will receive a three month orientation in the basic principles of family medicine, under the supervision of a veteran doctor-

instructor. The one year course will qualify medical graduates for a diploma in family medicine, Sarkho said.

orphans.
The house has also organised field visits to Islamic countries in order to follow up its commercial projects, expressing hope that the number of projects will reach 135 this year.

#### **Rotten cheese** spread found in co-operative

A CITIZEN, Mubarak Al Harshani, has claimed that he found a packet of 'Velveta' cheese spread that was unfit for human consumption.

He had sent one of his servants to a branch of the Sulaibikhat Co-operative Society to buy this cheese, but found that it emitted a bad odour and tasted foul.

Harshani, rushed to the municipal centre which sent a health inspector with him to the co-op. The inspector found eight more packs of the same kind of spoilt cheese, although the validity date stated July '89.

The inspector pointed out the presence of a primary school nearby and raised the question of responsibility in case a child bought a pack of this cheese.

"What is important is that Arab states should channel more funds into farming projects and encourage joint farming ventures and inter-Arab trade," said the UAE minister.

The conference passed a resolution calling on the 21 Arab League states to start strategic stockpiles of grains and to coordinate farm policies more

last year stressed the need for the

A statement issued by the

Gabid, a former prime mini-

He called on nations to

Zaanoun who is also member

The Palestinian official also hailed the efforts of HH the Crown Prince and Premier Sheikh Saad Al Abdullah who,

# A bedouin woman teaching an eager student the traditional art of

to transforming this traditional craft to a thriving national indus-

Al Haddad said that the study also disclosed that youngsters who take part in training courses organised by the house, are asking that more centres be opened

The mission will be headed by Brian D. Vaughan. It will continue its Gulf four to Dubai and Abu Dhabi from Bahrain. strategy of developing sciences and culture in the Arab world,





#### **Dances** of India

INDIAN dancers welcomed the new year with a show at the Indian Arts Circle on Friday. The "Dances of India" show was organised by the Sudarshan Kalamandir, and featured a variety of numbers including classical dances like Bharatanatyam and Mohiniyattam, and a selec-

tion of other semi-classical and folk dances. Above and right: some of the performers.



## John and Alf

You know the face, but do you know the name? For more than two decades an American actor has enjoyed success after success in stage, television and film productions. But who is he ...?

character of Trevor, John says:

"He's a cigar-smoking, fun-

loving guy who flies a cargo

plane on weekends. He sees

everybody as his friend -

unfortunately nobody else feels

the same way. He's the kind of

guy who makes himself feel right at home even when he's

not asked. He's the ultimate

guest who just won't leave."

Born in Brooklyn, John La

Motta was the only child of a

Sicilian longshoreman who

encouraged his son to become a

boxer and his opera singer

mother who tutored John in

He was an altar boy for 11

years and at 20 John married a

woman he sang with in the

church choir and pursued a

career in banking. But he soon swapped his staid office job for

the bright lights of the stage,

working as a singer in night-

He recalls: "I was a crooner

covering Jerry Vale and Frank

Sinatra material. I was playing

at places like the Black Cat

Lounge in Brooklyn, New

York, and Margarita's in Greenwich Village, and mak-ing \$20 to \$50 a night. That was

John made his theatre debut

in a summer production of The King and I which launched him

into other roles in Kismet, My

Fair Lady, Oliver and A Funny

Thing Happened On The Way To The Forum. He also perfor-

med in children's theatre production, and his Broadway

credits include Ilya Darling,

I'm Solomon, Zorba, and

Debut

a lot of money back then."

clubs in the early 60s.

piano, music and singing.

#### By Ktima Heathcote

HIS face looks familiar but you cannot quite place the name. Heis John La Motta who has

played the tough guy in three films — and died in all of them. Fortunately, his career has not suffered a similar fate. John has made various

appearances as different characters in the police dramas Hill Street Blues and Cagney and Lacey and is now wowing TV audiences as Trevor Ochmonik in the hit television series Alf, recently shown on KTV 2.

And the man who has been quietly making a living as an actor on stage, screen and television for the past 22 years, will soon be seen in the movie Licence to Drive.

He says: "I am overwhelmed at the success of Alf and I am very grateful. This is the biggest thing that ever happened to

John explains that the inspiration for the character of Trevor came from an American television special he was working on previously. "I was play-ing this guy called Harve Krinski who is a loud-mouthed, sloppy blue collar worker. Trevor is a toned-down version of him.

When talking about the

## **TELEVISION PROGRAMMES**

#### KTV 1

MORNING

9.00 Holy Quran 9.10 Good Morning 9.15 Cartoon serial

9.45 World News via Satellite 10.00 Ouloob Hazina: Ara-

bic serial. 10.50 News Summary/Go-

od Morning 11.00 Bait Al Awham: local

Arabic serial 12.00 Variety Show 1.00 News Summary 1.05 Holy Quran/closed-

**EVENING** 4.00 Holy Quran

4.15 World News via Satellite 4.45 Bambo: animated

feature 5.25 Tum Tek and Children

6.00 Liqa Fi Al Zakira: historical serial 7.00 News Summary 7.20 You and Your Health: presented by

Dr Rashed Al

Owaish 7.45 Questions and Answers: prepared and presented by Dr Farouk Al Omar.

8.30 Good Evening 9.00 News in Arabic

9.55 Daily Arabic serial: Duwar Ya Zaman 10.45 Min Alf Ila Aliya: weekly variety show presented by Dr

Tariq Habib 12.00 News Summary 12.05 World News via Satellite

**BBC World** 

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30 Megamix

Outlook

Poems)

25 Financial News

45 Europe's World

15 Network UK

0300 World News

30 John Peel 0400 Newsdesk

45 New Ideas 55 Book Choice

30 Financial News

40 Words of Faith

45 The World Today

Summary 30 Europe's World

45 Network UK

0800 World News 09 Words of Faith

30 Megamix

15 Health Matters

0500 World News

Tapes

0700 World News

0200 World News 09 British Press Review

30 Sports International

15 The World Today

30 The Learning World

09 Twenty-four Hours: News Summary

0600 Newsdesk
30 The Beeb's Lost Beattles

09 Twenty-four Hours: News

30 Poems by Post (ex 31st W. B. Yeats: Readings from the

**RADIO PROGRAMMES** 

A Year in the Life documents the dramatic moments in the life of an American family, tonight at 8.40 pm on KTV 2.

12.20 Holy Quran/Closed-

#### KTV 2

6.00 Holy Quran 6.10 Noveltoons: cartoon

serial 6.30 Fire Raiser: a serial for children. Tonight, a break-in at a stable causes trou-

7.00 Footsteps. An Italian archaeologist tours in Egypt, visiting the pyramids, the Karnak Temple, the valley of kings and Abu Simbel Temple.

8.00 News in English 8.40 A Year in the Life: the continuing story of an American family. Tonight, a

dispute between the

grandfather and grandson leads to discord. 9.40 The Hit Squad: a can-

did camera captures men and women offguard in moments of disarray. Loose: comedy about a

family which tries to hire a caretaker... 10.30 Jake and the Fatman: the detectives have to find proof to arrest a woman who covers

her crime. 11.30 News Summary followed by Magazine D'Actualite/Closed-

Please note that programmes and timings are liable to change without notice.

## In the pursuit of a metric calendar

**METRIC** 

WOULD you like a 10-hour day, work only four days and receive your pay cheque every 10th day?

By adopting a metric time discipline, all these can be made possible, according to Indian metricologist Brij Bhushan Vij. Vij. who has created the con-

cept of the metric calendar and clock, feels that the time has come to "replace the Gregorian calendar" with a "metric" one. He claims the Gregorian calendar is incomplete, its quarters are not equal, months and years rotate and the system

creating the concept of a metric clock. The system will work as follows: 72 minutes is equal to one metric hour as against the present 60 minute-hour. Inslead of the 24-hour day, the calendar proposes a 20-hour day, 10 decadays (a decaday comprises of 10 days each) and 730 decadays in a year. Vij has removed the concept of weeks and months and has also redefined seconds. A metric second is 43.2 per cent of the

"The definition combined with the concept of 100 degrees for a quadrant (instead of the ing time zones around the world.

"A metric clock will bring uniformity in the science of measurements," said Vij, citing the example of metric systems being applied to weight and measurement.

Concept : Vij, who is currently on a private visit to Kuwait, has been promoting the concept of a metric calendar for over two decades in India and overseas. Though other scientists have shown an "interest" in his theory of metric time, not many have advocated the change. He has written several papers, two. books - Towards a Unified Technology (1981) and The SI

Metric units (1984). Vij claims the metric system was invented by the Harappans, the inhabitants of the Indus valley some 4,000 years ago. It was not invented by the French, he insists. He cites the examples of the Great Bath at Mohenjodaro saying the dimensions clearly show the Indus valley civilization had

musicals Irma La Douce and La Strada.

> In 1974 he moved to Hollywood; making his television debut in Barney Miller. John continued working in the theatre but he was also becoming a familiar face on television with appearances in Benson, General Hospital, Knight Rider, T.J. Hooker, Cagney and Lacey, Webster and Hooper-

· · · John says he is particularly proud of his work with Theatre East, a prominent Los Angeles theatre company. Working with actors like Keir Dullea, Victor French and Theodore Bikel, he won rave reviews for his stunning performance in The Shadow Box. He is now developing an original theatre piece based on the life of Tolstoy to be performed with writer/actress Victoria Thompson Kerrigan next year.

Well aware that he is character actor, he jokes when he says that his big ambition is to do "the Robert Redford parts."

But joking apart, he adds: "I may not be a household name, but I have survived quite well during the last twenty-two

## **NIGHT CHEMIST**

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Salmiya and Rumaithiya Al Maidan Pharmacy Mishari Al Khalid Bldg., Baghdad St. Fahaheel and Ahmadi Al Abraj Pharmacy Sulaiman Dabbous Complex, Sinan St. Jleeb Al Shiyookh Al Hassawia Pharmacy Block 3, Main St.

Al Khalid Pharmacy

Opp. Co-operative Society

0900 World News 2100 News Su 09 British Press Review 15 The World Today

30 Financial News followed by Sports Roundup 45 Havana Guitar Festival (ex

3rd Mario Lanza) 1000 News Summary followed by Discovery

30 Sports International 1100 World News 09 News about Britain

15 Waveguide 25 Book Choice 30 Citizens

1200 Newsreel 15 Multitrack 1: Top 20

45 Sports Roundup 1300 World News

09 Twenty-four Hours: News

30 Network UK

45 Recording of the Week 1400 Outlook, opening with 5-Min-

45 Hayana Guitar Festival (ex 3rd Mario Lanza)

1500 Radio Newsreel 15 A Jolly Good Show 1600 World News

09 News about Britain

15 Omnibus

45 The World Today 1700 World News

09 Commentary 15 Citizens

45 Sports Roundup 1800 Newsdesk 30 Discovery

1900 News St Outlook 25 Financial News

30 Development '88 World News 09 The World Today

30 Meridian

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2200 Newshour 2300 World News 09 Sportsworld Extra (ex 3rd

Commentary)
15 Concert Hall (ex 3rd From

ALL TIMES GMT FM Services.

0800 Easy Listening 0830 News

0840 Easy Listening 1000 Songs and Music

1300 Easy Listening

- 1330 News 1400 Classical Music

1600 Easy Listening 1700 Italian Hour

1800 Pops

2130 News

2145 Pops 2200 Indian Classical Hour

2300 Easy Listening 2400 Instrumental Music

0200 Closedown

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1920 Songs 1935 Press Report 1940 Radio Club

2000 News 2020 Songs

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Al Fahaheel

## **CINEMA TODAY**

Al Andalus Aliens Starring: James Cameroon

Al Salmiya Funcon Centre Performance Al Hamra Ganga, Jamuna, Saraswati

(Hindi) Starring: Amitabh Bach-chan, Meenakshi Seshadhiri, Jaya Prada Drive-In Yom Mur Yom Helu

(Arabic) Starring: Faten Hamama, Mohammad Muneer Al Firdons Adholokam (Malayalam)

Starring: Nedumdi Venu, Parijatha Fahaheel Open-Air Roop Tera Mastana (Hindi) American Graffiti Al Jahra Sarparani (Bengali) Granada Anubandham (Malayalam) Sulaibikhat The Comeback Al Jleeb Malika Banu (Bengali) Ahmadi Drive-In Asfoor Al Sharq (Arabic)

### **PRAYERS**

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specialities night. to celebrate Bangladesh's Victory Day. For invitations condaily special. tact Firoz on 4310483.

taking part can contact the organisers on Tel: 2644983

MUBARAKIYAH Day; Mondays: birthday

'a go go.'' At the Holiday Inn. features Sharazed BBQ on Wednesday night; Arab singers provide live entertainment.

special; Fridays: special buffet

Thursday night is Indian night featuring exotic Eastern cuisine; top Ārabian singers serenade in the Al Andalus. Friday brunch - fun time for families; games, prizes. Also

prepared using home-made pasta; lunch and dinner, evening entertainment by the Sienna's Duo. Closed on Fridays. Al Hambra: Sundays: Lebanese cuisine; Tuesday's is Thai Night; Wednesdays:

Fridays buffet brunch while the children enjoy games in the ballroom next door.

Hunt Room: lunch and dinner rest., specialises in meat and

of Lebanon for lunch and dinner. Thursdays: Arab world Coffee Shop offers casual meals and quick lunches plus a

buffets for breakfast, lunch and dinner; 6 am to midnight; a la carte available. Thursday's is BBO Night at

Le Mirage Night Club, with full buffet and entertainment by the Al Arzz Band.

waterfront. The Marina Takeaway Counter features a selection of sandwiches and snacks, 4 to 11

GARDENIA: 7 am to midnight; buffets featuring Arabic, Continental and Indian food. Special buffet for Thursday dinner and Friday lunch.

Darbar: daily Indian lunch

buffet, except Friday; a la carte dinner. At the SAS AL BUSTAN Friday Brunch: for families from 11.30 am to 3 pm, highlights include music by Polish duo Danuta and Feliks and video corner for

Peacock Room: Chinese meals prepared by chef Von Kwee Kiong. The menu features fried wanton, sauteed diced chicken with cashew nut and steak Chinese style.

At the Meridien Versailles: offers a new con-

plus daily special.

cept in dining, featuring a selec-tion of grilled seafood, meat or fish fondue and other dishes, open for lunch and dinner.

featured.

music. At the Kuwait Plaza FILIPINO night held every Sunday from 7 to 9.30 pm. Al Dallah coffee shop: buffet breakfast, lunch and dinner;

Turkish cuisine, a la carte; lunch and dinner daily except

ELYSEES restaurant offers

cuisine with live entertainment.

JAN 20: Rising Stars sevena-side one-day football tournament will be held at Al Sour Ground. Teams wishing to participate can contact Lawrence — Tel: 4832409/2657293; Eric — Tel: 3262800/5650466.

(KAC); Zamboanga City vs Cavite City (Chiquita). At 11.30 am: Manila vs Valenzuela; Mandaluyong vs Las Pinas; At 2.36 pm: Makaŭ vs Baguio City; San Juan vs Caloocan city. The league has been sponsored by Dollarco Exchange Co. Ltd., and Holiday Inn Hotel.

#### unit of time in harmony with present seconds and equals 3973852058 periods of radiathe unit of length (metre) in the metric system" claims the engineer-scientist, who gave up tion of Cesium-133 atom". his career in the defence force in the pursuit of the metric calendar and clock. The time is ripe to go metric, present 90 degrees) brings the

WHAT'S ON

**ARTS** 

natural history exhibits from in and around Kuwait, including blue whale. Friday: 9 am onwards. islamic Arts Museum SAT - Thurs: 8.30 am to 12.30 pm and 4.30 to 7.30 pm. Collection includes rare

Islamic artefacts, Quranic

manuscripts; ceramics, carpets

and marine equipment.

SAT - Thurs: 9 am to 12

Arabian Gulf St.

Tareq Rajab Museum

Kuwait Science Museum

DAILY: 5 pm onwards:

noon; 4 to 7 pm; Fridays: 9 am to noon. Collection of Islamic arts, costumes and jewellery from the Muslim world. Sadu House SAT Thurs: 9 am to 12 noon; 4 to 7 pm. Exhibits include bedouin handicrafts -

rugs, saddle bags, cushions and

ANN Eid: Photographs of

Kuwait, on show at the gallery,

textiles. Closed on Friday.

Sultan Gallery

8.30 pm.

Thunayan Al Ghanem Bldg., Al Soor St. Open daily from 2-8bii Ghadk Gallery JAN 10-24: Kuwaiti artist Awatif Al Shatty will display a selection of her latest paintings at the gallery. It will be open from 9 am to 12.30 pm and 4 to

hold the annual general exhibition, displaying art works by Kuwaiti and non-Kuwaiti plasuc artists. The society invites formative artists. Kuwaiti and non-Kuwaiti, to submit their works.

RULES: The exhibition is open

Kuwait Society of Formative

JAN 27 to Feb 9: The Kuwait

Society for Formative Acts will

to all plastic artists residing in Kuwait. A maximum of three paintings can be submitted. Only original works which have not been exhibited before in Kuwait or elsewhere will be accepted. The works of art that will go on show will be selected by a committee and the society retains the right to reject any work of art. The last date for submitting entries is Jan 20. Entries can be delivered from 5 to 8 pm at the premises of the

#### K.S.F.A., Hawalli.

THEATRE **Tamii Piay** JAN 6: 5 pm. IAC presents full-length Tamil play entitled 'Unnmaiye Unn Vilai Enna?" (Truth: What is the Price?" Directed by C.K.V. Raman. For guest passes call 3904817;

3903879; 4881359; 5616930.

Konkani Drama

GCA members.

**Kuwalt Players** 

JAN 13: 3 pm. Labour Union Hall, Hawalli. The Goa Cultural Association presents Konkani drama entitled "Tujem Sukh Mozo Dusman," written and directed by Rex de Bardez. The cast includes the Mendes Brothers, Anthony and guest-stars from Goa -William de Curtorim and S. Lemos. For details contact the

Kuwait Players present Alice in Wonderland, a musical fantasy directed by Carol Jelley. It will be performed at the Universal American School, Salwa. Performances are as follows: Jan 17 (7.30 pm) Gala night. Jan 18 and 25 (6.30 pm) family night. Jan 19/26: matinee (3 pm) and evening (7.30 pm), Jan 20: 3 pm, 5.30 pm, Jan 23: 5.30 pm; Madhatters Tea Party, followed by Alice in Wonderland, Jan 27: Final performance. Tickets -KD3 (adults) and KD2.500 (children). For reservations call 5726048, 5657749.

SOCIAL **Cultural Show** JAN 6: The Nirjhar Cultural Group will stage a cultural show at the Al Andalus Ballroom, Holiday Inn Hotel,

The Kuwait Konkani Ken-

dra will organise a "Manddo Festival." Anyone interested in

Manddo Festival

before Jan 30. HOTELS At Messilah Beach taurant: open 24 hours, buffet breakfast, lunch and dinner and snacks. Sundays: Ladies

AL ANDALUS Night Club Every Wednesday is "Sea Drama on Ice" in Al Dana.

open to Jaycee Club members. At the Sheraton Riccardo's: Italian cuisine

seafood night; musicians provide a blend of music from the East and the West.

evolved a metric-based measurement technology. Vij scoffs at critics and con-

fidently believes that the world will one day adopt the "metric calendar and clock," Vij wears a metric clock and follows it. 'It's much simpler." he says.-

fish dishes. Le Tarbouche: offers a taste

At the Ramada AL BENDAR Coffee Shop offers Continental and Arabic

The Friday Family Brunch introduces cartoon characters on the ship's discovery; train tour of the hotel's garden and

At the Continental

Al Boom: "New Taste of the Week" prepared by chef Peter D. Zobrist. Appetisers, charcoal grilled steak and seafood.

years in show business." Businessman's lunch is also

Caramba: Mexican Night is

held every Sunday at La Bras-serie. Buffet features

traditional "south of the bor-

der" specialities including tacos, tortillas and refried beans, plus live mariachis

lunch. International Food Arcade: 4 to 10 pm; icecream festival: light snacks served from 10 am to 11.30 pm. Bosphorus Restaurant:

also set menu: mini-business

gourmet French meal; Al Shallal Coffee Shop features international and Arabic

At the Pullman

Şaturday.

**SPORTS** Football Tournament

**PBAK Bowling** JAN 6 (Friday) 8.30 am: Quezon City vs Paranaque



festival held at the Shaab Gardens. The main attraction was a 150 kg chocolate falcon sculpture made by the Sheraton chef. Above: the hotel team participating in the featival.

## **ARAB@TIMES**

## Thought for today

CURSES are like processions, they return to the place from which they came — Giovanni Ruffini, Italian writer

## **Explosive Semtex** defies detection

WASHINGTON, (AP): When Nezar Hindawi wanted to blow up an Israeli plane in 1986, he packed his girlfriend's suitcase with 1.5 kg of the odourless explosive called Semtex and sent her to London's Heathrow Airport to board an El Al Boeing 747.

The bomb, which was to be detonated by pressing the combination 2+3+3 on a pocket calculator, passed through an Xray machine and was only discovered by an El Al security guard after questioning the young woman, Anne-Marie Murphy.

Terrorism experts say Semtex, one of the substances suspected in the explosion of Pan Am Flight 103 over Scotland, so far has defied all detection attempts by X-ray machines, dogs trained to sniff bombs and other devices.

"It's a favourite with (terrorist) groups because it's significantly harder to detect than anything else, it's more powerful than other plastics," said George Carver, a senior CIA analyst in the 1960s and 70s who now is a researcher at the Centre for Strategic and International Studies, a Washington thinktank.

British authorities said on Wednesday that the residue of explosive recovered from the debris of the Boeing 747 Jumbo jet that exploded and crashed in Scotland was "consistent with the use of a high-performance plastic explosive." Speculation focused on Semiex.

Like the US-made plastic explosive C-4, Semtex is malleable like putty and shows up on an X-ray operator's screen as an indistinguishable dense mass. It can be hooked to a detonator placed in an innocuous looking alarm clock or radio.

But unlike C-4 and other known plastic bombs, Semtex is orange in colour and completely odourless.

Semtex also has the advantage of being stable, meaning it cannot go off unless it is meant to. Terrorism experts, like Neil Livingstone of Georgetown University, say Semtex is so reliable that it has been used by terrorists sending letter bombs to Israeli officials and has only gone off when the envelope was

Bangladesh,

By Anis Ahmed

least 3,000 people.

in case of sinking.

the fishing business."

turns out to be hell."

taka (\$6,500).

(Reuter): Abdur Razzak and his

five-man crew battled waves and

winds on a small fishing trawler

in the Bay of Bengal, undaunted

by a recent cyclone that killed at

They had no radio to monitor

"I have survived dozens of

weather bulletins, no compass to

direct the course and no life vests

cyclones in my 28 years in the

sea," said the 50-year-old fisher-

man. "Many of men died, many

were never found, but I am still in

"The sea is full of gold and we are here to pluck it." Razzak

said. "Sometimes, of course, it

made of wood, 27 to 50-foot

(nine to 17 metres) long and fit-

ted with 22 or 25 horse-power

diesel engine. They sail up to 100

miles into the sea during their usual three to five-day fishing

Fisherman Sulaiman Sheikh

said there are plenty of fish and

each trip fetches up to 200,000

Killed

in the Nov 29 cyclone, which killed at least 1,000 fishermen in a

chain of small islands.

Alorkol Island, 70 miles from the

Bangladesh coast. Survivors said

most victims were suffocated by

blowing sand or were buried

under waste laid by giant waves.

"A miracle saved me," said Krishnapada Biswas, 60. The

storm swept him far out to sea

but he drifted back to the coast

five days later clinging to a float-

Evidence of the destruction by

Bangladesh's worst cyclone for

20 years is all over the Bay

Islands -- blown-down shanties,

tattered boats, men and fishing nets buried under sand and float-

ing human bodies and animal

ing tree branch.

At least 200 people died on

Thousands are still missing.

Sheikh lost two of his five sons

Most of the fishing boats are

ALORKOL,

Czechoslovakia, which has a well-developed state-run arms and munitions industry, makes Semtex at a plant called the Eastern Bohemian Works, Living-stone said. US State Department officials say they have asked Czech authorities in the past to stop producing Semtex or at least

to prevent its export.
Recently, Czechoslovakia indicated it might be willing to stop selling Semtex, said Livingstone, who has served as a consultant to government security and intelligence agencies and has written seven books on inter-

national security and terrorism. Czechoslovakia is believed to have supplied Semtex to Syria and Libya, said one State Depar-tment official who spoke on condition of anonymity.

The State Department official said Libya had supplied Semtex in several shiploads of weapons to the Irish Republican Army in 1986 and 1987 and may have given it to other terrorist groups.

Semtex also believed to have been used by a tiny Syrian-and Libyan-supported Palestinian group once known as the May 15 Organization and now called the Hawari Group.

Explosion The group is believed to have been responsible for the April 1986 mid-air explosion aboard a TWA Boeing 727 flying from Rome to Athens. Four US citizens were killed in that blast, which Greek investigators said was probably caused by a Semtex bomb the size of two or three cigarette packs. The bomb was placed under a seat on the plane. The Hawari Group specializes

in plastic explosives bombs, according to US counter-terrorism experts. One of its operatives, Mohammed Rashid, being sought by the United States for his alleged involvement in the 1982 bombing of a Pan Am jetliner over Hawaii that resulted in one

Technology is being developed to overcome the Sem tex threat, and two experimental detection devices are in use at the Los Angeles and San Francisco airports, officials say. The devices use neutrons that can interact chemically with plastic explosives in luggage and indicate the existence of a bomb.

## Uprising has rekindled hopes

## Palestinian refugees yearning to return home

By Alistair Lyon

AMMAN, (Reuter): Safa, a school teacher at Jordan's biggest Palestinian refugee camp. once asked her pupils to draw the homeland their parents had to leave decades ago.

'What I got was pictures of children throwing stones at Israeli soldiers," she said. They are very aware.

Her school is in Baq'a, a bustling camp north of Amman, where around 75,000 people live cheek-by-jowl in a 1.4-squarekm (half-square-mile) patchwork or muddy alleys. Uprising work of cheap housing and

Many refugees driven from Palestine when Israel was born in 1948 or during the 1967 Middle East war profess a deep yearning to return.

Those who lost homes in Haifa, Jaffa or Lydda, swall-owed by Israel 40 years ago, defiantly treasure rusting housekeys they seem unlikely ever to

For some, the year-old Palestinian uprising in the West Bank and Gaza has rekindled hopes they will one day live in the independent state alongside Israel that the Palestine Libera-tion Organisation (PLO) proclaimed in November.

"I cannot wait to go and live in the Palestinian state no matter where it is set up," said Umm Jamil, a 64-year-old woman from Jaffa, near present-day Tel Aviv. 'I've been living in camps since 1948 and I'm fed up with Fishmonger Abdul-Sharif

Abu Bakr was equally fervent. We will all go back to our land when the state is set up." Others are less sure what future a truncated Palestinian entity with few economic resour-

ces would hold for them. "I don't know my land. I don't know what it looks like. I have never been there," reflected Umm Amer, a woman born in Amman's Jebel Hussein camp. Whatever comes from God is good, but I don't know if I would

go back. I feel at home here." Her parents fled from Lydda in 1948. Her home, shared with her husband, two boys and six . girls, is a modest breeze-block dwelling typical of Jordan's 10

refugee camps.

A Western relief worker predicted that many refugees, especially the poor ones, would pack up and cross the Jordan River if a Palestinian state should arise on the West Bank. "But they would be in for a

terrible shock. They would not recognise anything. After a week or so their relatives there would politely ask how long they were staying," he said.

The United Nations Relief and Works Agency (UNRWA) has 870,000 registered refugees on its books, but reckons only a quarter live in the camps. UNRWA does not count those displaced in 1967 because the West Bank was then part of Jor-

The agency's Jordan director Ele Saaf said camp life was not comparable with the overcrowding and poverty of Gaza or with Lebanon, where some shantytowns have been pounded to rub-

"Conditions here are roughly comparable to the West Bank, but the Jordanian government provides more facilities in terms of water, electricity, sewerage and roads than the (Israeli) occupation authorities have done there," he told Reuters.

In existence for decades, the camps are not the tent cities their name suggests, but crudely con-structed villages and urban districts, some barely distinguishable from their surroundings. Sewerage and road-asphalting

projects, once fiercely rejected both by refugees and Jordanian government officials who feared any sign of permanence, began several years ago.

Safa's school in Baq'a is leaky in winter and stiflingly hot in

#### By Willian Scally

WASHINGTON, (Reuter): For George Bush the "honeymoon" usually enjoyed by new presidents in their dealings with Congress may be over almost

before it starts.

The spoiler may be an age-old dispute that often leads to stormy scenes among newlyweds: how are we going to manage on our That question is certain to

overshadow all other issues before Congress for much of

1989 as it agonises over cutting the federal budget deficit.

"This next few months, it's going to be all money. That's all we're going to be talking about," says Alan Simpson, the assistant Republican leader in the Senate. Money will be the focus of

efforts to draft a leaner defence budget and rescue the ailing savings and loan industry. Buyouts

There are also to be Congressional inquiries into leveraged buyouts - corporate takeovers involving heavy borrowing which are said to cost the government tax revenues. Democrats think Bush, a

Washington insider, will be easier to deal with than Reagan. They say they want to cooperate. But they want to know how

Bush plans to cut the budget deficit — \$155 billion in the last year — to \$100 billion in the financial year starting on Oct 1 without raising taxes or cutting spending on defence and social security.

be done, especially when the government may have to pay as much as \$100 billion to bail out insolvent savings and loans institutions, and \$100 billion more

summer. "The children can't concentrate here and they don't do homework because they have no privacy at home," she said.

Fifty children sit two to a desk in a prefabricated room with haif-broken windows and a door

that is kept open.

The school, which operates two shifts a day for its 1,200 pupils, helps cater to a people thirsty for education. Everyone wants education

because they see it as the best way to generate income in future," said Abu Nayef Al Wahaidi, Baq'a's "mukhtar," or traditional mayor. UNRWA, strapped for funds,

halted its food ration programme in 1982, but still supplies 25,000 needy refugees with basic food, clothing, blankets

and in some cases pocket money. At one feeding centre, children line up with aluminium plates to heated on a gas stove.

Omar Haidar Amin, Baq a's senior medical officer, blamed congested living conditions for the commonest illnesses: respiratory disorders, skin diseases

"All the problems come from overcrowding. On average seven or eight people live in one room,"

Jordan's July 31 decision to break legal and administrative ties with the West Bank worried refugees, some of whom feared

they might lose their Jordanian That has not occurred and the government has not curtailed the activities of UNRWA, whose 1988 cash budget for Jordan of

\$67 million may shrink to \$53 million next year because a decline in the dinar's value means the dollars will go further.

## **Deficit: Bush's spoiler**

to clean up ageing nuclear

weapons plants. "George Bush is now in something of a trap—a box of his own making," said Congressman Dan Rostenkowski, chairmen of the House Ways and Means Committee.

He put himself there with his Clint Eastwood-like pledge on taxes. I think he's smart enough to realise that, and find a way to get out."

Many believe that only a balanced programme of spending reductions and new revenues will avoid automatic cuts called for under the law if the deficit target is not met.

Automatic cuts would fall heavily on defence and, analysts say, throw a cloud over Bush's sidency by demonstrating inability to deal with the nation's most serious problem.

But Democratic leaders have made clear they have no intention of going out on a dangerous political limb by pushing for tax increases without solid Republican support.

Democrats alone should not enact a tax bill, Rostenkowski said recently. "The politics are that we shouldn't do all the dangerous work alone, allowing the president to protest that those devilish Democrats made him do

In 1981 the newly elected President Reagan found a comand sent defence spending zoom-

But the Democrats increased their majorities in both the House and Senate this year and some see that as a mandate for

programmes despite Bush's notax vow.

House Budget Committee chairman William Gray recently issued a study claiming that Bush's "flexible freeze" budget plan would in fact mean severe cuts in programmes which pay for medical care for the elderly and the poor.

Congress formally reconvenes today, but it will not start work in earnest until after the Jan 20 inauguration of the new president, which takes place against the imposing white mar-ble facade of the Capitol build-

ing.
The Senate will swing quickly into action as it holds hearings on Bush's nominees for high administration posts.

Hearing on leveraged buyouts are expected to open within the first weeks, although it is far from clear what Congress can or will want to do about them.

Further disclosures on wide environmental damage caused by outdated nuclear weapons plants are also expected.

Pentagon critics will be pressing anew for cuts in spending on weapons, buttressed by charges of fraud and waste during a defence buildup that amounted to more than \$2 trillion in Reagan's era, and by Soviet

leader Mikhail Gorbachev's pledge to cut Soviet forces. On foreign policy, liberal plainant Congress as he cut. Democrats you to push again to domestic programmes and taxes impose tougher economic sanctions against South Africa.

voiced support for Nicaraguan Contra rebels but it is not clear whether he is prepared for a bruising fight with Congress to

#### full funding of domestic renew US military aid. Soviets decide to settle for a political solution in Afghanistan

**Bangladeshis battle** ISLAMABAD, (AP): Nine years after more than 100,000 Soviet troops marched into Afghanistan, the Kremlin has decided to retry political solutions in the conflict it admits it

> bachev made it clear at the start of 1988 that before year's end Moscow would cauterize its "bleeding wound" in Afghanistan, a mountainous Central Asian country where Soviets admitted more than 13,000 soldiers died fighting an estimated 200,000 Muslim insurgents,

agreement providing for Moscow's withdrawal was signed last April, Gorbachev said the Soviet Union would pull its troops out of Afghanistan whether or not "Fully aware of the risks, the pact became official.

By Mike Hall

MWANZA, Malawi, (Reuter):

Nightfall at Mwanza on Malawi's western border with

Mozambique is accompanied by

the roar of 40-tonne trucks pull-

ing away from the bustling immigration and customs office.

bique side. The drivers drink beer

They park on the Mozam-

This road through Tete

Army to protect it from Mozam-

bican National Resistance

Since Malawi lost its

traditional railway routes to the

Indian Ocean ports of Beira and

Nacala due to sabotage by the

MNR, which is fighting to over-

throw the Mozambigan govern-

(MNR) rebel attacks.

easy money," he said.
With the stench of rotting

island, most survivors have already returned to the sea. We have no time to mourn the dead. No fishing means no

Others have not forgotten the Jahanara Begum squatted on the shore, tears trickling down her wrinkled face, still waiting

built cyclone shelters, promised years ago, in the islands," said Kamaluddin Ahmed, leader of a local fishermen's group.

President Hossain Mohamthree days after the cyclone, pledged to build such shelters very

Most of the 2,000 people known to have died on the coast and nearby districts were poor peasants or labourers living in straw-and-bamboo huts.

"Their rickety houses did not withstand the 165 kpm (100 mph) storm even for a few minutes," said an official in Khulna. one of the worst-hit districts.

safaris every year.

food," said one fisherman.

for her son to return. "Kalam is my only son. People say he is

mad Ershad, visiting survivors

He said radio warnings of the approaching storm did not save

waves and wind

Nur Mohammad Sikder, vicepresident of the National Fishermen's Association, said about 30,000 people migrate to Alorkol Dubiarchar and several other islands on four-month fishing

many people come here from far off places because they have no alternative. Others come lured by the big catch and relatively

bodies still wasting around the

and sleep in the cabs of their dead but I don't believe it. He has trucks to wait for the next day's survived two previous storms convoy across Mozambique to and may be will show up alive the Zimbabwean border. again."
"Many deaths could have province is the economic lifeline for landlocked Malawi, whichbeen averted if the government pays a heavy price in foreign currency to the Zimbabwean

"In this country, only deaths can draw official sympathy," said fisherman Khan Shafiullah

ment, the Tete road corridor has carried the bulk of the country's exports and exports. Last year, this road and the

only other, much longer, road

could not win militarily. Soviet President Mikhail Gor-

Attacks called mujahedeen. on schedule.

Even before the Geneva The first stage of the Soviet

troop withdrawal began on May 15 and about 50,000 Red Army soldiers left by Aug 15. Soviets

have pledged in the Geneva pact to remove the remainder by Feb

"YOU COULD GRANT POINDEXTER AND NORTH PARDONS, BUT

IT WOULD BE WRONG!"

But the Pakistan-based rebels, whose seven-party alliance is backed by the United States. were absent during Geneva negotiations and insisted the agreement did not apply to them. They refused to guarantee safe passage of exiting troops.

Rebel and Soviet attacks persisted, spurring charges that each side is violating the Geneva agreement. Moscow said last month it was suspending its withdrawal, throwing doubt on whether it would be completed

As the Feb 15 withdrawal deadline nears, heavy emphasis has returned to the political arena. Rebels in Pakistan and Iran are talking with each other and the Soviet Union to find a solution that could allow for a peaceful transition of power in the capital Kabul.

This month, Soviet Deputy

sov met with the Afghan rebel leadership in the Saudi Arabian city of Taif. The chairman of the seven-party guerrilla alliance, Burhanuddin Rabbani, said he left the meeting confident Moscow was ready to abandon its Afghan communist proteges in

Kabul. The Soviet Union and Czarist Russian before it have a history of turbulent relations with Afghanistan, which one time reigned over large areas now part of Soviet Central Asia. Afghanistan's most recent history saw a coup in 1978 that left Sovietbacked communists in power in

Influence But Moscow's attempt to wield influence through its proteges floundered within a year, and the Red Army invaded in December 1979 to prop up local communists against the

muiahedeen. A nine-year war of attrition followed, during which leadership in Moscow changed three

rebel factions managed to subordinate their differences to the common goal of defeating the Soviets. The mujahedeen now says no

communists will be allowed to

participate in a post-war govern-And the Soviets reportedly have been distancing themselves from their Afghan comrades. Western diplomats, speaking on condition on anonymity, said about 10,000 members of the ruling Marxist People's Democratic Party of Afghanistan (PDPA)

already have fled Afghanistan since May.
One Afghan rebel in Islamabad said both sides are waiting until the last minute when an 11th-hour solution will

But the form of that solution is less certain following the death of Pakistan President Mohammad Zia-ul-Haq, a strong supporter of the rebels who opened his borders to more than 3 million Afghan refugees.

Zia died on Aug 17 in a mys-

terious crash that still is under investigation. Zia was committed to install-

ing an Islamic government in Afghanistan, and Western and rebel sources said he had pegged his hopes on Gulbaddin Hekmatyar, leader of the hard-line Hezb-e-Islami faction of the rebel alliance. The same sources said Zia's commitment translated into a greater weapons' supply for the radical rebel

Weapons After his death, the opposition Pakistan People's Party emerged from the political turnoil saying it would cut rebel supplies, which have continued under a separate US Soviet pact allowing symmetery in supplies to each side. But after Nov 16 elections, the

People's Party headed by Prime Minister Benazir Bhutto promised to maintain Zia's Afghan policy. Benazir even retained Sahabzada Yaqub Khan, a Zia-loyalist, as foreign Militarily, the mujahedeen

strengthened its hand after the accord was signed by advancing on the heals of Soviet soldiers who began pulling back from rural outlying areas and border posts to the cities. During the spring, rebels took strategic garrison towns along the border with Pakistan, opening new and more efficient weapon's supply routes.

**Battles** But the hit-and-run battles mujahedeen have waged for a decade did not prepare them for urban warfare. They took several cities only to be driven back by Afghan-Soviet bombing raids launched from Kabul and inside

the Soviet Union Sophisticated US anti-aircraft Stinger missiles is credited with reducing the effectiveness of Soviet airpower and forcing Moscow into negotiations. But there were not enough Stinger to

protect the cities. In November the Soviet Union introduced MiG-27 bombers into Afghanistan along with medium-range surface-to-surface Scud missiles.

#### Foreign Minister Yuli Voronttimes, and splintered Afghan Tete corridor: Malawi's lifeline

route south through Zambia carried over 90 per cent of Malawi's trade.

As the sun rises over the

Mozambican border town of Zobue, one by one the trucks begin to roar into life and, under instructions from the Zimbabwean convoy commander, to move off for the two and half hour trip to the midway town of Soldlers

The first 20-30 km (12-20 miles) is considered safe since the road runs along the Malawian

border. But after that, as one Zimbabwean officer said, "there's nothing but bush, animals and bandits.' In most convoys there are about 60-70 vehicles, mostly container trucks, stretching over a distance of about five km (three miles). From Malawi they carry

tobacco, tea, sugar, groundnuts

An armoured personnel

carrier containing about 10 sol-

diers armed with automatic

weapons and grenade launchers

and other Malawian exports.

follows after every 10 or so vehi-

The signs of rebel attacks are numerous. In many places, a band of tarmac two to three metres (yards) wide, had been dug up. The shallow holes showed where where rebels had placed landmines which had subsequently been removed by the

In several places the burnt out, rusting wreck of a truck lay beside the road as further evidence of a past ambush.

Most days, say truckers who use this route, the convoy passes without incident. But last week. one driver said, they were attacked by rebels firing from some distance. No one was hurt. Security

For security reasons, Army

"It's been fairly quiet so far

this year," said the general man-

officers will not give any details

of incidents on the route. But now that the rains have come and the roadside vegetation is thicking, rebel attacks are more likely.

ager of one Malawi-based transport company, "but it's only a matter of time before we have a serious incident."

If there is an attack, the whole convoy stops. Zimbabwean soldiers return fire and pursue the rebels. Drivers climb out of their vehicles and hide underneath them until the firing stops.

One driver who travelled the route about twice a week said he had to do this five or six times this

When the convoy from Malawi reaches Tete, it waits just outside the town for the convoy from the Zimbabwean border to

Children from nearby villagers ask for bread from the truck drivers, or just stand and

1739 - Convention of the Pardo to settle Anglo-Spanish

1778 — Palatinate recognizes Austrian claim to Lower Bavaria. 1795 — Secret treaty between Russia and Austria for third

partition of Poland. 1815 — Austria, Britain and France form defensive alliance against Prussia and Russia.

1896 — Anglo-German relations reach crisis over German support to Transvaal leaders. 1915 - Rebellion breaks out in Albania.

1956 - Soviet Union extends technical assistance to China. 1961 - United States severs relations with Cuba.

1962 — Indonesia's President Sukarno proclaims West New

1988 — Israel jets devastate three command centres of Palestinian commando force responsible for deadly November hangglider attack on Israel.

arrive in the other direction. watch the huge trucks line up.

Once the convoy from Zimbabwe arrives at Tete, the Army escort turns around to accompany the trucks from Malawi to Nyamapanda on the Zimbabwean border.

## TODAY IN HISTORY

disputes.

1868 - Shogunate is abolished and Meiji dynasty restored in

1921 - First Indian parliament meets. 1941 — Italian forces surrender at Bardia, Libya, in World War

Guinea an independent province. 1974 - Kuwait reaches agreement with Gulf Oil and British Petroleum companies for 60 per cent takeover of their operations in Gulf state.

1977 — Largest loan in 30-year history of International Mon-etary Fund — almost \$4 billion is made to Britain to bolster its



## Malaysia's 'centipede man': a fatal attraction

Scorpions soaked in a mixture of Chinese berbs for 100 days produce a lotion that will cure rheumatism, cramps and backaches, says Malaysian street pedlar Chan Fook Choy. To prove that point he lets dozens of scorpions and centipedes crawl over him as he sells his folk cures to horrified onlookers in Malaysia, Thailand, Indonesia.

#### By Lai Kwok Kin

SEREMBAN. (Reuter): Poisonous centipedes and scorpions are child's play to Malaysian street pedlar Chan Fook Choy.

The Centipede Man lets dozens of scorpions and centipedes crawl over him as he sells his folk cures to horrified onlookers in towns and villages across Malaysia, Thailand and

A bite or siting can cause excruciating pain or even prove fatal but Chan, 44, claims he can hypnotise his lethal pets to prevent them from hurting him or his family.

At every stop of his bizarre roadshow, his two teen-age sons lift dozens of shiny black 10-cm (four-inch) scorpions from a glass tank and place them on his head, neck and . inside his shirt.

For a few minutes, the scorpions, their tails arched back with poisonous tips ready to strike, march across his body as nonchalant-looking Chan smiles and talks to the crowds.

Then, without warning, he starts slapping the scorpions to get them to sting him before unbuttoning his shirt to show a body covered with rashes on which he applies his home-

For customers who are still not convinced, Chan begins his

From a plastic bucket he picks up six 15-cm (six-inch) centipedes and puts them on his head where they crawl for a few seconds before he stuffs the animals, which can inflict painful bites, into his mouth.

His face contorts in apparent agony before he spits them out. to the relief of the crowd who by now has shed all doubts about his scorpions lotion and cen-

upęde balm.

At six ringgit \$2.20 for a small bottle, business is brisk.

"I cannot make enough to meet demand," said the beaming Chan, looking none the worse after his performance near his home in this southern Malaysian town where he keeps some 500 scorpions and dozens of centipedes.

Chan's family help to panfry the scorpions to extract an oil that he said was a good antidote against bites, tetanus and even asthma.

Scorpions soaked in a mixture of Chinese herbs for 100 days produce a lotion he swears will cure rhenmatism, cramps and backaches.

"Of course I was frightened when I first started. I was bitten a few times and the pain was very acute. But now I actually enjoy doing this," Chan said.
He learned his skills at the

age of 10 from a Cambodian Chinese master, Tong Kam Hon, known as 'scorpion man.'

Chan refuses to divulge his secrets and would say only that he repeats a chant for three minutes before each act to hypnotise the scorpions and centipedes, rendering them harm-

His fame has spread to Hong Kong where he has acted in two films. He has signed a contract for a third to be shot in Malaysia.

Chan made his film debut in Hong Kong as a sorcerer with scorpions and centipedes crawling over him in a 1984 film entitled "Centipede Horror" and followed up with 'Devil Sorcery' in 1987.

For the two films, he had to bring along dozens of scorpions and centipedes inside his

Chan said that besides his master, he is the only man who has perfected the art, although he once met an Indonesian who used scorpions whose poison-



Poisonous scorpions crawl over the face of Malaysia's 'centipede man' Chan Fook Choy. Chan says be is able to hypnotize the poisonous scorpions and centipedes from inflicting harm on him

ous stings had been removed. "I challenged him to

exchange his scorpions with mine and perform together in

public," Chan said. "He never showed up."

## Introducing ... the totally automated housewife

#### By Marina Shamoon

IT IS an ordinary day for an average housewife. She sits in an armchair watching her favourite television soap.

Without moving from her seat she can turn on the washing machine, check that the baby is asleep and even draw the cur-

And at the push of a button a mini picture of the outside of the house is displayed on the television screen.

This is the scene in the automated home of the future. By using a computerised home automation system, any appliance can be operated by a newsinfraged hand-held controller, a system developed by British electronics giant Thorn

John Ryan, senior principal research engineer at Thorn EMI, says: "So far people have only used remote control for television sets. With this new system, householders have She can turn on the oven, check that the baby is sleeping soundly — and she doesn't even have to leave her armchair.

complete control of the house at the push of a button. It is especially useful for the elderly and the handicapped."

It is the next best thing to having a robot. To the businessman, it means portable computers can be connected to the system. And the elderly and the handicapped feel more safe in Although the system is

expected to cost up to £10,000 when it becomes available next year, the price is expected to fall to a few hundred pounds in a few years' time.

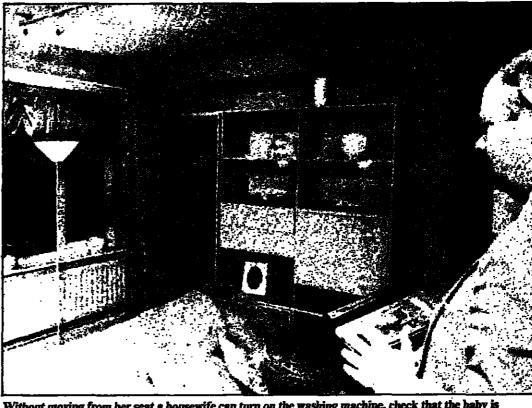
Thorn EMI has a prototype system at their research laboratories at Hayes, Middlesex, where demonstrations

For home heating the system measures the temperature and humidity. If the heating is set to come on at a certain time, on a cold day it will switch on earlier. And freezer temperature can be maintained

Lights can also be controlled. And in the event of a fire, the system lights up the fire

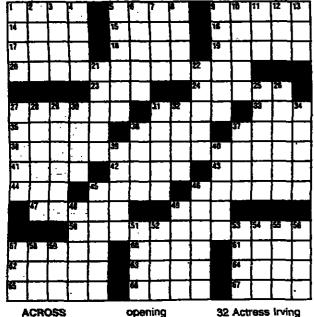
It will also switch to cheap overnight electricity — and even turn on the cooker! — and a video picture of any room in the house can be displayed on the TV screen at the push of a button to check all the rooms to make sure everything is in order. And when the doorbell rings, the front door video camera beams on to the television screen the visitor.

A woman's work is never done, goes the old saying. With this new high-tech aid she won't even have to get out of her armchair to do it!



Without moving from her seat a housewife can turn on the washing machine, check that the baby is asleep and even draw the curtains.

#### TODAY'S CROSSWORD



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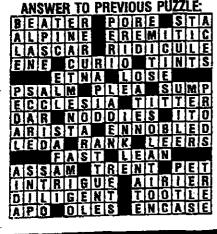
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## **GOREN BRIDGE**

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BY CHARLES GOREN AND OMAR SHARIF TAKE TEN!

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We are indebted to our good friend Dr. George Rosenkranz of Mexico City for this amusing hand. It was played in Flight B of the Mexican National Pairs Championship, and highlights a point we have belabored in this column: No matter how bad your contract, try to find a lie of the cards that will permit you

Opening lead: Eight of 🕏

to bring it home. For a brief moment North-South were in their only makable gamethree no trump. However, South had slam ambitions and tried a cuebid of four spades. North decided it was a natural bid, and so an "impossible" contract was reached.

Since he expected the king of hearts to be in dummy and South to be short in that suit, West decided not to attack with a heart. Instead, he chose what should have been the disastrous opening lead of a club. But aghast at where he had to play the hand, declarer bungled his way to down two.

Let's look at what could have happened had declarer kept his cool. He wins the opening lead in hand and cashes three high diamonds, discarding three hearts from dummy. When the third diamond lives, a heart ruff is the entry to the table to cash the ace of clubs. When that holds and East discards a heart on the low club continuation, declarer is virtually home. He ruffs with the ten of trumps, scores another heart ruff on the board, ruffs a club in hand with the ace of trumps and he already has nine tricks-three diamonds, two clubs. two heart ruffs in dummy and two club ruffs in hand. And the king of trumps on the table reigns supreme as the 10th trick.

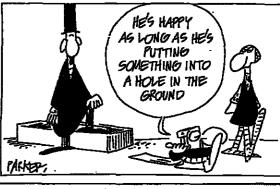


"Who d'you think wants to drink that after you've been sitting in it?"

### THE WIZARD OF ID

By Brant Parker and Johnny Hart





By Johnny Hart

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*GANGERANGS* 



#### YOUR STARS



Mercury's better influence will help you to do the right thing. You will be able to get something off your chest. Do not be hostile to change. Be polite.



You will be better able to get on

with your daily tasks. You should not take any undue risks but you should take the initiative. Have more faith in yourself. Be



With Mercury's better influence you will be somewhat more adventurous. However you should not take any undue risks. If you are a little more patient you will be well



Today you will have to be on your best behaviour. You will be able to do something you have long wished to do. Try to dispel negative thoughts, Be cordial.



The good influence of Mars and

Venus will help you to maintain your social status. You should pay a little more attention to how you express yourself. You will be able to help a friend. Be respectful.



Others will try to pull the wool over your eyes. You are spending too long on trivialities. You will feel more sure of yourself. Be con-



Libra (Sept 22 - Oct. 22)

Mercury's better influence will help you to deal with an outstanding matter. You will be able to make good progress at work. Avoid losing your temper with a rather unpleasant person. Be sin-



Scorpio (Oct 23 - Nov. 21)

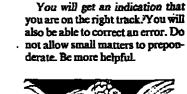
The Moon's influence will help you to get on well with others. You must make sure you stick to speed limits and look out for bad drivers. Do not allow some small setback to upset you. Be reliable.

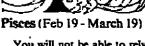


Sagittarius (Nov 22 - Dec 21 There will be some moments of tension but you will know how to deal with them. Mercury's better influence will aid you to avoid falling into a trap. Your personal

charm will help to see you through.

Be more patient.





Capricorn Dec 22 - Jan 19)

You will be more able to see eye

to eye with a person with whom you

do not normally agree. Jupiter's

influence will help you to keep your

emotions under better control.

You should avoid eating too many

Aquarius (Jan 20 - Feb. 18)

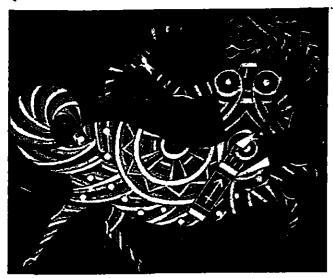
sweet things. Be tactful.

You will not be able to rely on your intuitions. A letter you have sent will have an unexpected result. You will be able to take advantage of a good opportunity. Be fair.

# What is in store for you in 1989

## Sagittarius

(Nov 23 — Dec 21)



YOU now enter upon 1989 liberated from the almost intolerable and overwhelming strain of living day-to-day with the burden of Saturnian planetary principles the three Cs—constriction, claustrophobia and constraint. To make matters even worse during 1988, you also staggered on (oh, brave Sagittarius!) with the capricious planet Uranus in your sign at the same time as Saturn. This caused many an unheaval just the same time as Saturn. This caused many an upheaval just when you'd worked very hard to get settled somewhere. It was also responsible for causing a rather paralysing sense that nothing was trustworthy or properly predictable.

Well, welcome 1989 with open arms for both Saturn and Uranus have now rolled on out of Sagittarius.

Our own inner energies, however, are what put us "in the right place at the right time" (how uncomfortable it can feel!) to

undergo particular planetary phases.
So, before we look at what awaits you this year (rest assured it's a whole lot nicer than last) let's just glance at the undoubted benefits Saturn and Uranus did bring to you — and let's remember that it was the power of your own unconscious which really decided to bring you these benefits at this point in your life. (Remember astrology doesn't rule you — planets don't actually tug you by the arm and force you to do something — planetary cycles are like the hands of a clock pointing to "teatime" when we are ready to relax and see friends, or "alarm call" when it's all hands on deck to coincide with a simple process. call" when it's all hands on deck to coincide with an inner

emergency, and so on.)
So after your unbelievable hard work of the last two years, you are now several rungs up the ladder. Your sense of responsibility, your ability to handle quite shocking workloads, your good humour and effectiveness under stress, these attributes have certainly not gone unnoticed by those who are in a position to promote you further.

This phase has been a maturing process, and you are more a grown-up now than those of us who have not gone through this

maturing planetary phase.
You have an inbuilt ability now to cope on your own when and if you have to do so. Never again will you need rescuing to the extent you may have in the past. Now you can say to others, "Forget it", and mean it if the cavalry doesn't gallop to your aid. You're a whole cavalry regiment on your very own.

#### Lucky stars

This year, the main and major news is that Jupiter the luck bringer spends the entire twelve months to come beaming good things to you across your zodiacal map. (This in fact was true last year also, but you still had Saturn and Uranus to contend with, offsetting your luck.)

Jupiter begins this year — January, February and early March — in your zodiacal area of everyday work and routine, helping repair the damage done to your peace and security over the last two years. There will be plenty of pleasant little happenings taking place at work (very often the little surprises are the most healing, especially when there are lots of them all adding up to a giant happiness) and you can even expect flowers on your desk, supportive memos and congratulations on your performance, and pleasant times ahead with work colleagues.

#### Free enterprise

Mid-March onwards, through an April full of good news, a very romantic and inspiring May, a refreshing June and energetic, busy July, you'll experience the benefic Jupiter in your zodiacal area of partnerships.

What this means could be at opposite ends of the pole. For

some of you, this will mean marriage. For some it may bring divorce or separation. For Jupiter brings freedom. If you do. team up with someone special under this auspice, the relationship itself will be one of freedom and adventurous optimism. You and the other person tend to trust each other's basic goodwill more than is usual in relationships; perhaps more than m any intimate relationship you have enjoyed in the past

There is just one big thing to remember with Jupiter. This planet signals over-confidence as well as amiability and general bonhomie. So be sure your partner feels the same way about freedom as you do. Play fair during this phase — or when this Jupiter joyfulness is over and greyer phases return, it may turn out that your partner really wasn't that keen on an open relationship or being left at home while you swanned off to the races or whatever.

#### Money, Money, Money

Jupiter's next hotspot, from August 1st on through late summer, all autumn and winter through to Christmas and beyond, is in your area of money.

This will be a curious phase for Sagittarians in which on one hand you are offered abundant hot tips, insider dealer-type news, fascinating gossip you could turn to your own advantage, lucrative opportunities.

On the other hand, you receive important signals to stay thirfly. Delay jumping straight into the deep end until you really do see which way the land lies, and you would be well advised to decline to take risks in general.

In August itself, the stress that accompanies the temptations speaks for itself - for with Venus, Mercury, Mars and the Sun in book-keeping, accounts-filling Virgo, you'll be getting news from bank manager and creditors alike which temporarily sets

you back or may even (surprise, surprise) depress you.

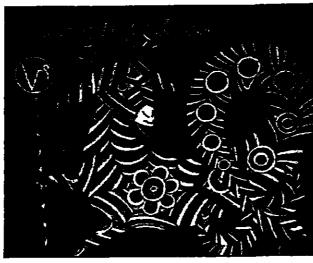
To most other zodiac sign natives, one would say "Don't even contemplate recouping your losses by going deeper into debt now. Don't fall for a business investment that could turn out to be a con." But Sagittarius — well, you see, the happy-go-lucky Jupiter is your Ruler, your god-father as it were, of whose qualities your partake. Sometimes your instinct to take that risk is sounder than other signs' instinct to lie low and keep the money firmly sewn into the mattress. At the very least, however, at this time in August and in early September, do look before you leap. Do ask yourself is it gold that is held out towards you which is glittering so brightly? And even if it is, is it worth the

A happier, easier late September and October mean a change for the better in your fortunes anyway, if you can just hold your horses and wait it out till then. October sees emphasis on romance again. In fact, reading the planets for your October, one has to put on dark glasses - so sparky is the array of

Early November does look a little bleak, but then November and December blaze up in Sagittarian conviviality. Party-time ends the year and sees you on into an important and cheerful

## Capricorn

(Dec 22 — Jan 20)



LET'S get one thing clear, 1989 will be a much better year for you than 1988. How do you find yourself placed now, as you begin a new year? What did 1988 do to Capricorn, how have you been left at its end, what are you feeling?

The softer-edged you is a response to the continued presence of the planet Neptune in your sign. The person you perceived yourself to be as you began 1985 was not quite this mellow creature you have now become; and you have since been through an odd tearful phase when you seemed to be 'slipping' in your grasp on how to deal with crises.

The old you could nip a crisis in the bud. But in the last years, you have noticed a tendency to panic, almost to "let go". This effect has been marked if you are an early Capricorn, born between December 22nd and 31st.

Now, however, 1989 sees your own ruling planet, Saturn, move firmly (Saturn does everything firmly) into Capricorn. The sign and the planet have a great affinity. At last everything will tighten up around you. This frightens many people, but certainly not a Capricorn.

Neptune remaining in your sign will also go on casting its gentle haze, as of wood-smoke. You will experience the urge to

save' someone, to 'rescue' people.

Obviously you must remember to call on your own native common sense. Check with yourself: is this person who needs 'rescuing genuinely in trouble in some area, or simply sending out signals of uselessness in order to survive without having to bother working at it as most of us have to do?

#### The lovers

Lovers are attracted to this year and may well be characterised by this fey quality. And you may gain so much joy and relaxation from their company that the normal rules of give and take are now irrelevant.

Even so, watch for a creeping insidious effect of you giving, them taking. As soon as you are in further than you feel is comfortable for you, set a limit even if you do so silently, for the sake of continuing goodwill.

You will have less time to spare than recently. When Neptune first floated into your life, you resented the great tracts of empty time it brought you. Now you are used to these, you have learned to meditate and to feel the minute effects of time of day, seasons, the light and the weather.

#### A sense of rhythm

You feel more in tune than ever with the rhythms of a day or

## Aquarius

(Jan 21 — Feb 19)



DURING 1988, you were forced by circumstances to work hard on your friendships. This is an area that greatly interests you anyway. You are such a naturally democratic person. You feel that the proper study of man is man. You really are a reformer; Charles Dickens was Aquarian, and that sums up the feeling you have in your very bones for the great surge of

It is you who treat the duchess and the dustman absolutely alike, although your nearest and dearest sometimes feel that they are no more special to you, however intimate they expect you to become. So this work on friendships came naturally to

you — or did it?
You probably joined some group, club or organisation. At the time you felt it promised a way through to reaching a greater understanding with your fellow man.

During last year, you probably fought hard on a neighbourhood issue. You may have struggled on — increasingly disappointed by other's evident self-interest and blatant ego — in what you thought could work out successfully, but only if

everybody pulled together on the more common issues.

Meanwhile, in your career (and let's face it, you are no modest violet here, and you certainly value your proper place on the ladder of ambition) you found yourself up against a formidable rival. Someone who seemed out to get you personally. Someone whose sheer naked interest in power for its own

sake quite nauseated you. By the end of 1988 you found yourself in a winning position. You struggled all year simply to make your point. And, by December '88, the point was clear.

#### Out with the old

You begin 1989 now with the heat off the friendships/groups sector. You and your neighbours, or your local politicians, or the friends you nearly had to say goodbye to, have come to a new balance, and reached a proper understanding which suits

As for the career/rival struggle, there can now be far more of the live-and-let-live theory in the atmosphere at work. This fresh and pleasant environment will improve even more by

In January, February, early March, you can consolidate the whole process of gain connected with your home base.
Your landlord — believe it or not — positively forces a cash

settlement upon you, on which you can hold out for the best possible terms. Or you end up buying and selling property at a year. But Saturn, now in Capricorn, will alas, eat up your hours. Saturn will insist on structuring your time again. If you value certain regular moments that you feel you must have to yourself alone, you must say so clearly and firmly, to yourself and to other people at the outset of this year.

Stipulate in any contract you sign, and in any business arrangement you make in 1989, how you must have final control of your own time. Of courses you can need have final

control of your own time. Of course you can work harder and longer than most people can, but the quality of life that Neptune has taught you to appreciate must not disappear.

You must not revert to being a slave of time. If for instance you marry or set up home with another person this year, start as you wish to go on. Do not arrange to do the other person's ironing or washing-up, and bequite clear not to let them assume you never want time to read a book or see friends alone.

This year will see you carrying new responsibility. This is quite different from the unnecessary 'carrying' of another person that Neptune will try to prompt you into. It will be part of your task to differentiate between the two.

The genuine responsibility will later bring you fresh recognition, status and a welcome into the broader world of other

people who also shoulder such involvement. January, February and early March see the luck-bringer

Jupiter move into your area of love, romance, make-believe (that's in the nicest sense, as in show business) and "let's pretend" and there may also be a happy surprise in store concerning children. From April until August, Jupiter is in your office, at your desk, alongside you at your workbench or just quite literally wherever it is you work. Watch then for the happy effect of

agreeable, amusing colleagues who talk a lot (Jupiter will be in Gemini, a very verbal sign and watch then also how work fun spills over into becoming social fun).

It's guaranteed your actual place of work will then also look pretty, proliferate with postcards and flowers which arrive from friends you've met through work. The boss may decide to bring in the interior decorator. Or you may be asked to travel more in your work.

#### The partnership

With August, the major luck bringer moves up into your area of partnerships and 'true love.' This is a different matter, more serious, than the simple romance, beer and skittles effect of the springtime period.

If you are already in a long-term partnership, this is the time when you can see your partner receiving largesse, a legacy or pay rise, goodies in general. This will in some way benefit your home base.

Your astrologer hesitates to say that your partner will actually receive a home, be left a rose-covered cottage, or be taken on as a National Trust caretaker in a stately lodge. That can't happen to all of you, can it? Yet in some way your partner's home set-up will be vastly improved later on this year. We'll just have to wait and see what happens.

For some of you, there will be a Jupiter effect that is unwelcome in a partnership. Jupiter expands what it touches, and your beloved may simply become a bit big for their boots. This could be in a literal sense, so keep an eye on the pies and pastries, and the booze or it could be that this dear person you know so well suddenly gets too full of themself, over-confident, pressing forward with bright ideas which you must be cautious

Remember, Neptune is still around trying to separate you from your resources in the most sidling, sneaky manner. So be aware of the possibility here, that a partner's enth-usiasm could turn out to benefit them but deplete you

You end the year with a strange re-play of an intimate relationship problem that already puzzled you in August It's as though you're getting a second chance to understand it in depth. The lovely thing is, it will be packaged as fun and will appear in wild, ebullient, zany guise, perhaps as a new adventure which just happens to incorporate the old conundrum.

profit. Or you are simply, wonderfully happy in the comfort of your own hearth. Anyway, this is certainly your time of benefit on the home front. It's up to you to try not to let it pass by unnoticed just because you are suffering no immediate pain in this area. Look

at how it can be built upon for security and continuing well-As Jupiter the optimist is involved, however, do not rashly over-extend and take great care not to burn bridges behind you. April through to August! Oh, you lucky Aquarius. Love, love and yet more love. On a romantic level, perhaps not a love at its most lasting or profound, but how refreshing it will be neverthe-

August to the end of 1989: Jupiter the luck-bringer is in your place of work. This will combine mightily with the coalition of Saturn and Pluto on your side, batting on your team to bring you exciting new developments here.

Saturn and Uranus will be working behind the career scenes to force benefits and changes (ie. Uranus always makes for surprise), not all necessarily welcome either, for instance September and October 1989 may be productive of a quite unwelcome career surprise.

#### Good times ahead

On the whole, though, the year sees a nice emphasis on the behind-the-scenes build-up of your career, where authority figures and people with power to influence them will be discussing you and ultimately effecting long-term changes in your

Your ears will be burning a great deal in 1989 and whatever your own opinion of your capabilities, you can mostly test assured that whatever is said about you will turn out in the end

The only exception to this may be, alas, if you exhibited some form of unnecessary jealousy of a colleague's advancement in 1988. Whether or not this person was the deliberate rival previously noted, Pluto the planet of "Do as you would be done by" may now arrange that you in turn find yourself on the receiving end of envy or jealousy.

These planetary principles seem to be workings-out of the psychological cause and effect which exist within ourselves: ultimately, we don't really let ourselves get away with anything too much.

There is rather a secret, waiting-in-the-wings quality in 1989 for you. The three heavies (Saturn, Uranus and Neptune) are now nudging you but only from behind, as it were. It is just possible that you will find yourself employed in some

enclosed situation, working for society's flotsam and jetsam, in a big institution - if this is the case you will find you can effect some useful changes here—or even in a hospital environment.

If you do find yourself in such a situation, and if you find you are hating it or feel rather like the only woman on the island, then remember to take advantage of Jupiter the great benefic's

#### Breakout

positions in your 1989 map.

A focus on romance, on children or on the simple comforts of a home environment will help you to transform any imprisoning or 'forgotten' feelings you may find yourself suffering from

Wherever you are, you are still an Aquarian!

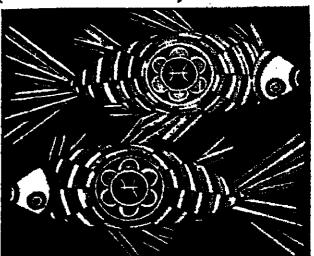
Another probablity in September 1989 is that you will be abroad and may be finding it more stressful than you expected, yet also pleasantly enough much attracted, by an intriguing stranger who is interested in you.

In stressful or blocking situations, which may well entrap you this autumn, your unique Aquarian ability to identify injustice, and to push to get it put right, will tell in your favour. You have been extra creative in 1988, and this quality in you will go on from strength to fulfillment in the summer of 1989.

This creativity, this talent, will emerge most of all in an atmosphere of success or triumph which is due for you in December. Venus and Mars then take you on and up through a lovely glittering finale to 1989 and on into a thrilling start to the

## **Pisces**

(Feb 20 - Mar 20)



YOUR vocation is no longer tormenting you with images of what might have been, what should be, what isn't .. and what is. Pluto, currently your ally in '88 and now in '89, is moving nearer and nearer to the very pinnacle of your chart.

Soon you will see important and influential mentors entering

They are not there yet though — unless you are an unusually lucky Piscean — offering you the chance to do the things you've

so longed to busy yourself with. But in 1989, they are getting to know you. They are getting acclimatised to you, beginning to see your potential without your having to show off or wear any big labels (tiring stuff, for a Piscean, showing off.)

#### A battle's over

Meanwhile, you must simply find the time to recover your

A Piscean has a great sense of naturally well-being, a sense of the essential rightness and mercy of the everyday world (in spite of having an equal sensitivity to its tribulations.)

However, two-and-a-half years of almost unremitting stress from Saturn at the top of your chart (where your hopes and ideals and your need to help others are located) has pretty much done you in.

You hardly recognise yourself. Where is that lovely Piscean person you used to know? Where is that Piscean who woke most mornings to a belief that the rose was on the thorn and all would be right with the

Increasingly, it has seemed that the thorn was on the rose,

Saturn at last is off the boil, however. And that means that your task now is to treat yourself rather like a convalescent. You begin 1989 with a bonus, anyway. Jupiter is in Taurus till mid-March. This means you are

moving around, completely in tune with your immediate surroundings, friendly with your neighbours, happy with your transport, learning with ease subjects that once eluded you, lunching with siblings who, for a change, are refraining from quarrelling....

#### Weekend for love

Invitations to long weekends away, now sow seeds for romance due to start blossoming from late June onwards. A fellow guest you don't think much of now, may look totally wonderful to you later in the year, or you look quite a transformed kettle of fish to them, or they turn out to have a marvellous

From April through to August, Jupiter starts to draw your

attention to your home base. There is a great deal of dialogue then on this subject. You consider a move, probably you make a move. Or in some way your home and hearth are improved, expanded, or ultimately

become more valuable to you. You are very likely to be signing a contract then, and if one is not inentioned by others around you, do consider suggesting it

Others are in the mood to embark on ebullient enterprises with you, so if you want to make sure they can't pull away again at their whim, get their signature down on the dotted line while

they are still keen on the idea. On the other hand, there is an air of freedom blowing, and you may be the one to ensure you do not get locked into an arrangement you'll want to leave on your terms.

You begin the year almost immediately able to consolidate, for Venus on 11th January 1989 moves into Capricorn and you have the comfort then of choosing where you want to place a friendship, high up or a little more to the side on your list of

Whatever place you designate it, this important and nurturing relationship can sit there and wait, just getting better all the time even if you don't yet have much time to lavish on it. This person seems to be an adviser or parent figure, and in fact if there has recently been estrangement or simply anxiety

over a parent, this time signifies a sorting out of that situation and a lessening of tension. By March, Venus is in your own sign, just where this refreshing and soothing planet should be in your month, when

the Sun too is in Pisces and bringing Piscean concerns and projects to the forefront for all other signs also. April is a particularly excellent month for you financially, with (wait for the line-up!) Sun, Mercury, Venus, Mars and Jupiter all in position to do their best for you.

Mars' position makes it a less soothing month than March, however, and even if you are not exactly irritable, you may encounter some form of nervous aggression from others of the 'bark worse than bite" kind.

#### Changing gift horses

It must also be admitted that the benefits Jupiter now undoubtedly brings you are not perhaps exactly what you want. Some of the surface aggravation of the month may be due to your wish to swop goodies or opportunities you ve been given, and failing to make the switch-over to your satisfaction.

You are in pocket but not perhaps in temper. May, with subtle shifts of emphasis, partakes of the same problem, ie; you are receiving accolades, opportunities, offers and/or material gifts, but either these things strike you as ephemeral and privately you mutter "Promises, promises" to yourself; or you find them too scattered, without a common linking thread to make sense to you in your life as you live it day by day.

Time and July both see an improvement and at last there is June and July both see an improvement and at last there is

real cohesion around you. You are automatically feeling better now. A glance at your appointments diary makes much more sense to you, as you can see the underlying pattern in what is happening.

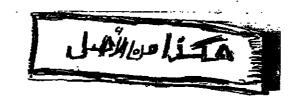
August is a reassuring and happy time, with Jupiter in your area of harmony and expansion at work, but it is challenging as regards dialogue.

If you are in love now — which may well be the case — you are still pushed to justify your own feelings and perspective on this

intimate matter.

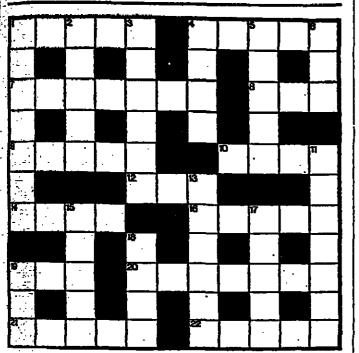
August (and to a lesser extent September) could bring quite an upheaval into your life, love-wise, and you could spend these two months of 1989 in rather a dizzied state. By October the die may be cast. Some choice will have had to

be made, some important decision reached. November and December are once again calmer months, more like the atmosphere in July. Then you will be able to stand back and perceive clearly and at a glance what your year slood for and what you achieved in terms of seeds sown, moves substantiated, and emotions deepened.





#### **CROSSWORD**



#### Across

- 1 Trench for draining water (5)
- 4 Provide food and drink (5) 7 Wanderer in search of prey (7)
- 8 At this time (3)
- 9 Having natural suppleness (5) 10 Complement of a ship (4)
- 12 Round, open-topped container (3)
- 14 Decorative wall-skirting (4)
- 16 Performer in plays and films (5)
- 19 Cask for wine or beer (3)
- 20 Wharf post for securing ropes (7)
- 21 Made a selection (5)

#### 22 Large fish of the mackerel family (5)

#### Down

- 1 Marked with spots (7)
- 2 Freshwater fish much angled for (5) 3 Protective head covering (6)
- Abrupt, almost rude (4)
- 5 Male voice between bass and alto (5)
- 6 In an uncooked state (3)
- 11 Devoted to the temporal life (7)
- 13 Entertainment of music and dancing (6) 15 Australian wild animal (5)
- 17 String of railway carriages (5)
- 18 Treble wood-wind instrument (4)
- 19 involuntary muscle spasm (3)

## Did you know?

In Florida, USA, the rattlesnake is served as an hors

An earl with Aries Baileding ball to the library Enid Blyton wrote a total of 600 children's stories.

Cockroaches are commonly called 'black beetles', but

they are not black and it is not a beetle. Jean-Paul Sartre, French novelist, taught himself to read

and write. An English firm made a jigsaw puzzle for an American

consisting of 10,400 pieces, and measuring 4.6 metres x 3 metres.

Beetles outnumber any other living creatures on earth.

There are 3,700 species found in Britain alone.

In the Second World War 22.2 per cent of the population of Poland was killed.

The manufacturers of 'Monopoly' print more 'money' than the whole of the United States Treasury.

Children of the Nanay tribe in Siberia live long distances from school and travel there by skis pulled by dogs.

A citizen of Spanish Fork, Utah, has lived in the house in

which he was born, for 90 years. Marbles were introduced into Britain by the Romans in

Approximately 21,500 species of insects are found in

the first century A.D.

termites, and ants.

Cannon-balls were used in the Royal Navy until they

were repaiced by shell in 1837. Saudi Arabia covers an area of 830,000 square miles, yet

there is not a single river in the whole country. Humming birds can beat their wings 90 times a second.

Insects are eaten as food in many parts of the world, the favourites being grasshoppers, beetles, crickets, locusts,

The oil in which sardines are packed is more expensive by volume than the fish themselves.

The earliest blood transfusions used animals' blood.

## Uncle Albert and the runaway horse

#### By Pauline Brehony

ONCE there lived a tiny man who was as light as a feather. His name was Great-uncle Albert ---Uncle Albert for short and he lived in Miles Platting.

The narrow streets were cobbled then, and if you didn't fancy walking into town, you could take a horse-bus or, if you were well-off, a horse and cab.

Now Uncle Albert, light as a feather, looked after the horses of a man who hired out cabs. As a groom, he was excellent, ensuring that the horses were clean, neat and trim; healthy and happy too. For, apart from grooming them and seeing to their meals, he found time in his busy life to talk to them, even to sing. But one Monday

morning when the wind was howling down the narrow streets, Uncle Albert's boss strode into the stable to tell him that his cab-driver was poorly, so would he take Dr Chumley, the local doctor, on his rounds.

"Good gracious me, no!" Uncle Albert cried. "I can't handle a horse-cab!" But since there was no one else who could either, Uncle Albert was told that he must, and that was that!

Rub-a-dub-dub, sang the

women of Blossom Street that Monday morning, as they scrubbed their washing on their rubbing boards. And run-a-dubdub sang the women of Paradise Street as they twirled their peggies in their dolly tubs. A dolly-tub? A tub for washing not for bathing dollies in! A peggy? Well, somewhere, sometime a clever person had thought how sensible it would be to attach a milking-stool to a broom-handle and tiddle it to and fro among the dirty washing, and these were called peggies.

Uncle Albert harnessed Sam, the big grey horse, to the cab. And now Dr Chumley, little black bag and all, came panting into the stable, followed by his tall, grim-looking wife, who: insisted on accompanying him on his rounds, and who, Uncle Albert felt quite

sure, was decended from a Welsh witch, so sharp and long her nose, so fearsome her expression. It wasn't long before Sam was trotting happily down the cobbled streets, pausing here and there, so that Dr Chumley could alight and

important wife!

On and on, hither and

thither, his hoofs going

Sam the cab-horse

Sam just wouldn't.

clacketty-clacketty-clack,

galloped, scattering people

right and left. And though

many tried to halt him,

Now in those far-off

so small, that there wasn't

room to swing a cat, never

mind hang up a line or two

of washing, and so, every Monday, the clever women

peg-out their washing right

It wasn't at all strange

therefore that Sam, having

galloped happily down

one which was festooned

ballooning knickerbockers.

much to the delight of the

with shirts, petticoats,

children who had been

playing in the street, and

the annovance of their

hard-working mothers.

knees, was completely

decorated with a canary

looking cherries, was

concealed under a very

As for poor Uncle

covered over with a big

white sheet!

and a bunch of very real-

large pair of lacy bloomers!

Albert, he couldn't be seen

at all, for he was completely

Women came running

out of their houses, yelling

at Uncle Albert and raising

wash. But the children were

laughing so much that soon

their mothers joined in, and all of Paradise Street

And soon Dr Chumley

began to chuckle, and soon

to laugh when he saw, first

of all, Uncle Albert battling

with the sheet like a bull in-

their fists, saying that he

had ruined their weekly

rocked with laughter.

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Chumley's best hat,

Soon Dr Chumley's little

black bag, which was on his

hidden by a heap of babies

fluttering dresses and

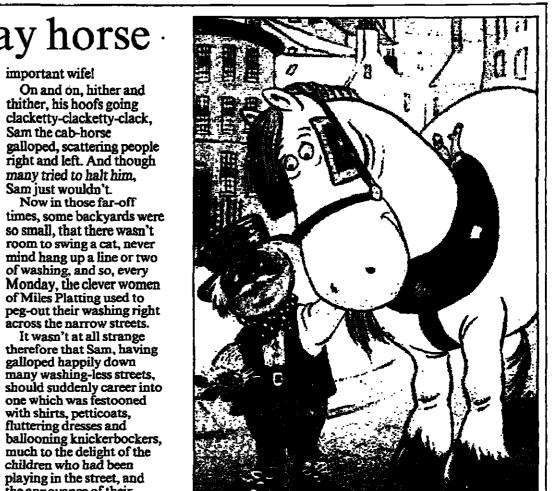
across the narrow streets.

of Miles Platting used to

attend to his patients. The first half of the important journey went very well, with Sam behaving perfectly, just like a pupil on the first day of school. But after while it was as though Sam knew his driver was a novice and decided now was the time to have an adventure ... a romp... as he used to when he was small, in the fresh green fields.

With a twinkle in his eye, he suddenly bolted, and nothing poor Uncle Albert could do could stop him! Clitter-clatter down the cobbled streets he went, paying no heed to his little driver. Indeed, whenever Uncle Albert tugged on the reins, he was lifted clean off

the driver's seat! Nor did Sam take a scrap of notice of Dr Chumley. Or of his cross, self-



side a tent, and then his own wife decorated so impolitely with the lacy bloomers!

"Whoah!" cried Uncle Albert from under the sheet for the sixth time. And, at last, Sam the

cab-horse obliged... and halted, And when the women of Paradise Street had salvaged their washing, and the lines had been hauled in, and a very fat lady's pink bloomers reclaimed, Uncle Albert leapt from the cab, light as plume of thistledown, went up to Sam and whispered something in his ear.

What he said, no one will ever know. But Sam nickered at Uncle Albert, as though to say: "Well! it was only a bit of fun!" But when Uncle Albert had clambered back on to the driver's seat, Sam set off down Paradise Street, as mildly as a lamb, and continued the doctor's

rounds, as good as gold! At the end of the journey, Dr Chumley patted Sam the cab-horse. then shook Uncle Albert firmly by the hand.

"The best laugh I've had in years!" he said, and trotted away with his little black bag and his six foot

When Uncle Albert uncurled his hand, he had a wonderful surprise! There was a golden sovereign, bright as the sun which had just appeared from behind a cloud. So Uncle Albert smiled at Sam and, after leading him into the stable, unharnessed him, groomed and fed him, stroked him, patted him and sang a little song. And when he had locked the stable door, he went whistling merrily homewards, feeling like a millionaire.

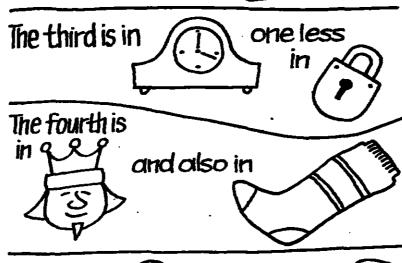
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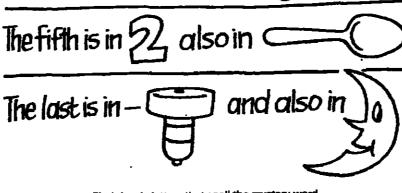
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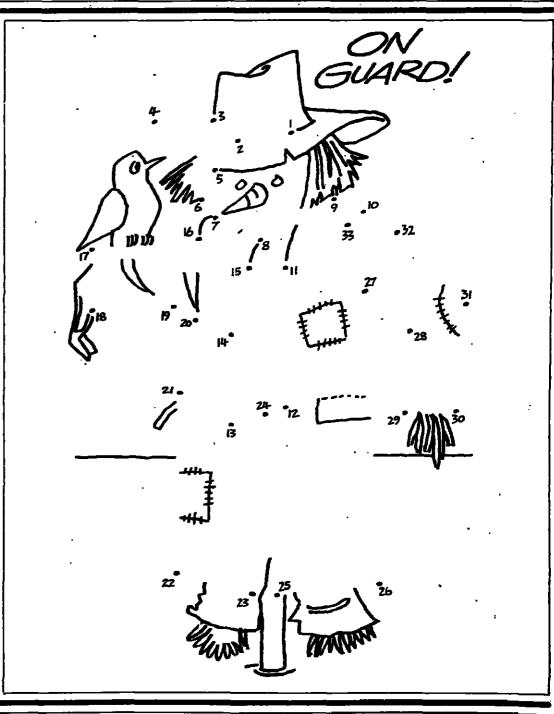


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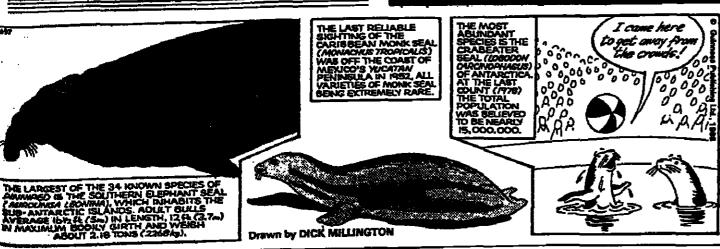




Find the six letters that spell the mystery word.



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ment said yesterday. In a year-end report, the National Economic Develop-ment Authority said the growth rate surpassed the 5.90 per cent increase of 1987, which followed years of recession under ousted President Ferdinand Marcos.

The authority said the Gross National Product amounted to 101.1 billion pesos (\$5.05 billion) this year, compared with 94.7 billion pesos (\$4.73 billion) in

"Expansion in all major economic sectors was experienced at a much faster rate, surpassing last year's performance," the report said.

The report said the industrial sector registered the strongest gain -- 8.9 per cent - while

services increased 7.06 per cent. But the agriculture, fishery and forestry sectors recorded modest increase of 3.42 per cent. Most of the gains were due to increased timber harvesting, the report said

About 70 per cent of the country's nearly 59 million people rely on agriculture for their liveli-

The government has cited economic growth as a major accomplishment of President Corazon Aquino's administration, which took power after Marcos was ousted in a popular revolt in 1986.

Critics acknowledge the healthier economic signs but claim millions of ordinary Filipinos have not benefited from the busi-

Population

Also on Thursday, the government released figures showing the Philippine population grew by 2.38 per cent in 1988 and stands at nearly 59 million.

A year-end report by the National Statistical Co-ordination Board estimated the country's population at 58.72 million, up from: 57.36 million at the end of 1987 and 56 million in 1986.

The population growth rate eased slightly during the past year, the report said. The growth rate of 2.38 per cent in 1988 was just below the 2.41 per cent registered in 1987, it added.

#### Indonesia fixes new price for

oil sales to Japan JAKARTA, Jan (OPECNA): The price of Indonesia's prime crude Minas for delivery to Japanese customers in January has been fixed at \$15a barrel following negotiations between the importers and Per-tamina, the Indonesian state oil

company.
"This is one positive effect of the agreement reached by OPEC in November at Vienna," Minister of Mines and Energy Ginan-

djar Kartasasmita told the press. He said the Japanese price of Indonesian crude would be fixed month to month until March, thereafter he expected a formula acceptable to both sides to have been worked out.

Indonesia is exporting 400,000 B/D to Japan, about 13 per cent of the country's total oil needs. Ginandjar was hopeful that oil

prices would improve in 1989 and would be much better than in 1988. He said: "if all OPEC members

obey the decision reached at the 84th meeting of the organisation in Vienna (fixing the overall ceiling at 18.50 million B/D), and the non-OPEC countries are willing to co-operate, I am sure the average price of \$16 will not be difficult to achieve."

#### Algerian leader pledges economic reforms

ALGIERS, Jan 2, (OPECNA): The re-elected Algerian President, Chadli Benjedid, has pledged to carry out political and economic reforms in accordance with the wishes of the people.

He said, in a nation-wide address today shortly after his inauguration to a third presidential term, that a general reorganisation would be effected "to permit all the national forces to contribute to the development of the country and to express their points of view."
Efforts

He further implored Algerians to exert efforts to overcome economic and financial difficulties in order to brighten future

economic growth.
"The cumulative impact of national prospects. The 59-year-old president has persistent economic crisis in been in the political limelight since the colonial period when he Africa during this decade in the face of high population growth fought in the resistance rates has been a sustained deceleration in the standard and movement against the French.

## Moscow bans export of caviar and other goods

## Soviet oil output slumps in third quarter of '88

Soviet oil output slumped bet-ween July and September in 1988 casting doubt on whether last year's national oil production target could have been reached, a London-based oil industry consultant said today.

Petroleum Economics Ltd said in its quarterly bulletin "Soviet energy developments" that the reasons for the fall in the third quarter were unclear.

"It does seem that Soviet oil output fell by over 100,000 barrels per day (BPD) during the third quarter, showing the first year-on-year decrease for about three years," it said.

Target In the 18 months to mid-1988, Soviet oil output had been running slightly above target.

"It is doubtful whether this year's (1988) target level of just under 12.6 million BPD can be achieved, unless output has rebounded during the fourth quarter," the bulletin said.

It said there had been reports that oil output from Siberia was hit by oilfield equipment shortages. It was also possible that ethnic unrest has affected output from the oil-producing area of Azerbaijan, it added.

Official Soviet oil production statistics have not been published since August. The August data showed a fall to some 12.3 million BPD, the lowest level since April 1986 and about 500,000 BPD below the May 1987 peak, the report said.

"Although there are indications that output recovered slightly in September to about 12.5 million BPD (the same as in June), it was still about two per cent below a year earlier. As a result the third quarter average was over one per cent lower than during the third quarter of

1987," the report said. There have also been problems in other areas in the energy sec-

There is no doubt that the installation of new electricity generating capacity has fallen well behind plan — it is now possible to identify up to 20,000 meg-awatts of nuclear capacity which has been shut down or cancelled" in the aftermath of the accident at the Chernobyl power station,

Meanwhile, the Soviet Union

soon will ban the export of consumer goods ranging from caviar to children's shoes and will limit travellers to about \$140 worth of souvenirs, the official news agency Tass said yesterday.

The radical changes in export and customs regulations eviden-tly are aimed at remedying an extreme shortage of consumer goods in the Soviet Union and assuaging citizens angry over the scarcity of such basic items as soap and windshield wipers.

Tass said the restrictions approved by the Council of Ministers will take effect on Feb I and last until the end of 1990. It did not give a date for the decision. Exports

The brief announcement limiting exports of consumer goods to 100 roubles per person, or about \$140 at the current exchange rate, specifically included tourists. But it did not explain the effect of the ruling on the Soviet Union's attempts to earn scarce hard currency by selling the best caviar, fur hats and coats, vodka and souvenirs in stores that require dollars, pounds or other freely convertible money.

freezers, washing and sewing machines, children's clothing and shoes, coffee and caviar. Coffee is not grown in the Soviet Union, and the import duty is up to \$15 a pound.

export televisions, refrigerators,

The announcement also said customs duties will climb to a range of 20 per cent to 100 per cent of the retail price of vacuum cleaners, mixers, coffee-grinders, automobile parts and other items. It was not clear if this meant import or export duties.

Goods Export limits were imposed recently in Czechoslovakia and several other East European countries after complaints that tourists from neighbouring socialist nations were stripping their stores bare of consumer

The growing practice prompted a Soviet economist, Marina Pavlova-Silvanskaya, to warn in Soviet culture yesterday of an impending "trade war" among socialist countries.

Many Russians travel to Eastern Europe on shopping trips, and Pavlova-Silvanskaya herself

the Al Qarya region.
Non-metals: They include

phosphates, bauxite, potassium

Phosphates: Discovered in the

Tareif region, northwest of the

kingdom, with reserves estimated at four billion tons.

Al Zubeira village, 460 km west

of Riyadh, with reserves

the Red Sea region, mainly Ras-

Karkoma, Wadi Ival, Qunfuza,

the Al Bawana mountain and the

Fursan Islands. Studies are

under way to determine the

Decorative stones: They

include granite and marbles. A

comprehensive programme of

discovery has been drafted by the

directorate general of mineral

available quantity.

Potassium ore: Discovered in

estimated at 94 million tons.

Bauxite: Discovered near the

and decorative stones.

#### reminisced about trips to East Germany and Poland. She said. her boss insisted that "the programme had to include a visit to some institutions named for Lenin, lest the Germans or Poles

think the citizens of the nation of the great October Revolution are coming to shop."
Rates None of the socialist countries of Eastern Europe has fully convertible currencies, and they trade with each other based on exchange rates that often do not cover the exporting country's cost of production, much less a

Pavlova-Silvanskaya noted that capitalist countries don't find an invasion of shoppers a problem — in fact, just the reverse. On Nov 7, a holiday in Hungary, 100,000 Hungarians went to Austria and spent \$42 million in hard currency, she

Rather than limit exports, the Austrians responded to the horde of shoppers with advert-isements in Hungarian newspapers, inviting them back on

their next day off. Pavlova-Silvanskaya noted.

## Saudis set to develop mineral riches

RIYADH, Jan 2, (OPECNA): The Saudi Arabian government is keen to diversify its sources of income and pay special attention to its extensive mining and mineral resources, given its vast deposits of gold, silver, copper, zinc and other valuable metals. according to a senior official.

In a statement, last week, Ibrahim Ahmed Khubeiri, Saudi undersecretary for mineral resources, said exploration of mines was assigned to the directorate general of mineral resources in 1960. Since then, it had conducted several studies and geological surveys, as well as prepared geological maps covering an area of nearly 600,000

He said the studies conducted by the Jeddah-based directorate included estimates of nonhydrocarbon mineral resources and their production costs.

Activities Highlighting the activities of the directorate general, Khubeiri mentioned aerial photography of several regions, the drawing un of geological mans for t area known as the "Arab Shield," a geophysical survey of the regions constituting the shield, geochemical research, and, finally, drilling and digging in the light of the geophysical

surveys carried out. "If the geophysical survey proves that mining is profitable, then the mining process will be assigned to Petromin, the state oil company, which, in collaboration with the private sector, undertakes commercial exploitation for all mine and

metal discoveries," he said. In the early 1930s, he recalled. the Mahd Al Dahab mine meaning the cradle of gold -

was inaugurated. Khubeiri provided, what he

ADDIS ABABA, Jan 2, (Reuter): Africa's economic

growth rate nearly doubled last

year but Africans grew poorer, a

trend that is likely to continue in

1989, the UN Economic Com-mission for Africa (ECA) said

The continent's Gross Domes-

tic Product — the total value of

all the goods and services it

produces — rose by an estimated 2.5 per cent in 1988, up from 1.3

That expansion lagged behind

the 1988 population increase of three per cent and economic growth of a further 2.5 per cent in 1989 would also trail the popula-

tion rise, the commission said in

its annual review of the African

Decilning

may turn out to be rather optimistic if the main underlying

assumption with respect to

(favourable) weather conditions

were to turn out to be mis-

placed," said Adebayo Adedji,

ECA executive secretary.

He said that with weak prices

for its commodity exports, Africa had been unable to get out

of a trap of spending more than it earned to repay its debt and buy

imports — a pattern leaving little money for investment to boost

That meant the decade-old trend of declining living stan-dards would continue in 1989. "Even this cheerless forecast

per cent in 1987.

economy.

called, the current studies of discovered mines and metals in the

kingdom: Gold: There are old gold mines in the Arab Shield, west of the kingdom which include:

 Mahd Al Dahab, located 280 km east of Jeddah and containing 1.10 million tons of gold and silver. The Goldfield Company obtained a concession for mining in Mahd Al Dahab in 1978. In collaboration with Petromin, the Goldfield Company constructed a tunnel to explore the mine which was officially inaugurated by King Fahd Bin Abdul Aziz in 1983.

• Hajar, located south of Bisha, is a historic gold quarry and believed to contain large deposits. In the past, an estimated 3.50 million kg of gold was extracted from here.

 Bir Talwilah, situated east of Zulm City with an estimated 300,000 tons of gold. • The Sukheirat region has estimated gold reserves of 5.60

● The Al Amarmines, located 650 km northeast of Jeddah, have an estimated 1.08 million tons of gold, silver, zinc and cop-

per. A number of international companies have shown interest in exploiting the deposits. The Al Shakhtaliyya mines have estimated reserves of gold raw material, including gold, of about 1.50 million tons in their northern section. The estimated reserves of the entire area are

believed to be three million tons.

Silver: Expected to be found in 250 places in the Dawadmi region, reserves of the precious metal are believed to total 701,000 tons.

Copper: Available in the Arab Shield and discovered in the Sayed mountain region, 350 km east of Jeddah. Reserves are

UN body sees gloomy economic

He added: "Today, his or her

per capita income is only about

80 per cent of what it was at the

beginning of the decade."
Adedji said Africa's external
debt rose to \$230 billion at the

end of the year from \$218 billion

at the end of 1987 while prices for

its main exports slumped, mean-

ing less foreign exchange was available to repay that debt.

that Africa's exports fell two per cent in 1988 to \$50.3 billion from \$51.4 billion in 1987. Imports were little changed at \$60.4

"An increasing number of countries are merely accumulat-

ing arrears ... most of the existing

debt rescheduling formulae have

had the effect of merely deferring the debt service problem into an uncertain future," Adedji said.

Criticised

He criticised International
Monetary Fund and World

Bank loan and reform program-

mes for indebted countries, say-

ing they paid little attention to the need for African nations to

diversify exports and become

cupation with financial adjust-

ment and deflationary budget controls to growth-oriented

adjustment is nowhere near in sight for Africa," he said. "While African countries have

taken considerable political risks

in embarking on socially painful

adjustment programmes and

policies, the expected inflow of

new capital to sustain the adjust-

ment and recovery process has.

"The transition from preoc-

more self-sufficient.

The commission estimated

prospects for Africa in 1989

average African."

estimated at 29 million tons. Copper has also been discovered in the Katam region, 54 km west of Najran with estimated reserves of 9.40 million tons. Discoveries have also been made in the Masari region, 45 km north of Najran, where reserves are

Tass said it will be forbidden to

estimated at seven million tons. Zinc: Discovered at Khuneikia, 190 km west of Riyadh with estimated reserves of 14 million tons. Also discovered in the Al Sheib region with reserves estimated at 1.70 million tons.

Tin and tungsten: Available in a number of regions. Tin has been found in the Al Silsila mountain region, 130 km west of Bureida, with reserves estimated at one million tons. Tungsten was discovered in the Bada Al Jamala region, 130 km south of Oneiza, with reserves estimated at 10 million tons.

Iron: Iron ore is available in several regions of the kingdom, mainly in the northwestern Wadi. Al Sawawin with reserves estimated at 254 million tons.

The Adsas mountain, 220 km iron ore reserves of more than 300 million tons. In Wadi Fatima, located between Makkah and Jeddah, reserves are

estimated at 48.40 million tons. Chrome: Discovered in the Al-Eis region, Beertoleiha, Hamda, Ashmas, Zulam, Al Amar, the Teisi mountain, Beer Umk and Al Shazm. Reserves still un-

estimated. Nickel: The metal, which is always accompanied by chrome, has been discovered in the Arab

Shield, but no in large quantities. In addition to these, rare metals such as niobium have also been found in the Al Qarya region, 80 km southwest of Tabuk and also in the Al Atawla mountain, 55 km northwest of

more often than not, not

The commission said Africa's

food and agricultural output rose by 3.8 per cent in 1988 and should increase by about four per cent in 1989 if the weather

It said cereal production rose an estimated 7.8 per cent in 1988 to 71.8 million tonnes, with

record harvests in Morocco, Zambia and Zimbabwe.

Prospects for root crops, sta-ples in much of tropical Africa, were not bright because of drought and mealy bug infesta-

Meanwhile, international

prices for African products were

"The world market is likely to be characterised by falling prices in real terms, and oversupply for

most commodities, minerals and

non-minerals alike, with an

external demand remaining

weak and sluggish in the face of

the projected decline in the

industrial economies in 1989,"

Stagnant

The commission said stagnant

demand for coffee and cocoa

would continue to squeeze the

economies of such countries as

the Ivory Coast, Ghana and

Uganda.

Weak oil prices would affect
Nigeria and other producers,

while recent gains in copper prices would have a limited effect

because producers such as Zaire

and Zambia had supply

problems, with their production falling an estimated 15 per cent in

Adedji said.

likely to remain depressed.

remained favourable.

## **ADB** loans for

JAKARTA,

According to the Manila-based bank, the first loan of \$150 million will be repayable in 15 years, including a three-year

The second loan of about \$50 grace period.

banks and securities markets.

## World Business Summary

## China begins bidding on offshore oil exploration

BELJING, Jan 2, (Reuter): China tomorrow formally opens a large area of its southeast coast to exploration by foreign oil companies in hopes of reviving flagging interest in its energy sector. The official New China News Agency said today that the nation's third round of bidding to explore for offishore oil covers 32,000 square km (12,000 sq miles) in the Pearl River basin in the South China Sea. At the same time it formally amounced a reduction of royalty payments to encourage investors to develop small offshore olifields. The news agency said Chinese and foreign oil firms would be exempt from fees for oilfields with researces less then 36 5 million beyrels of crude oil. A maximum reserves less than 36.5 million barrels of crude oil. A maximum rate of 12.5 per cent was in effect in earlier rounds of bidding. China had high hopes for its offshore oil production when it first opened up its offshore areas to exploration by foreign oil companies in 1983. But oil prices have tumbled since then and exploration results have been largely disappointing. China produced a mere 712,000 tonnes of oil from its offshore fields in 1987—the last full year of available statistics—out of total output of 134 million tonnes. The news agency quoted officials of the state-run China National Offshore Oil Corporation, which sponsors the bidding, assaying the area has good potential for oil. Several oil companies had already bought data needed to assess the area's prospects, it said, without giving details.

But Western diplomats who follow the oil industry said they did not expect an enthusiastic response from foreign oil companies. "I would be very surprised if there is much interest in these blocks," said a diplomat. reserves less than 36.5 million barrels of crude oil. A maximum

blocks," said a di

#### Barriers'fall to form Arctic to Rio Grande free trade zone

WASHINGTON, Jan 2, (Reuter): With tough obstacles overcome, a US-Canada agreement went into effect yesterday that will ultimately create the world's biggest free trade zone, extending from the Arctic circle to the Rio Grande river. Over the next 10 years it will end tariffs between the two countries, already the world's biggest trading partners, and pave the way for expanded crossborder investment and trade in energy and services. To settle disputes over alleged violations, a two-nation commission will be established with the power to make binding rulings. The agreement proposal ran a tough obstacle course. Proposed by Canadian Prime Minister Brian Mulroney to President Reagan in 1985, it was received without enthusiasm by the US Congress, which only narrowly gave Reagan the authority to negotiate an agreement. Later, it was almost scuttled by the Canadian Senate, forcing Mulroney to call an election that was in effect a referendum on the trade pact, which he won. US customs officials said tariffs would be phased out, but yesterday would be dropped entirely on such tourist goods as fur garments, whisky and rum, skis and skates. They said tariffs would fall yesterday by 20 per cent on jewellery and some meats and musical instruments and by 10 per cent on textiles, apparel, tyres, wine, beer and watches. The world's two biggest trading partners exchanged more than \$150 billion in goods in 1988. Economists said the pact will expand that even further although the United States, because of its size, is likely to reap the most benefits. Despite the importance both Mahananana December 10 per partners in the state of the states of th Mulroney and Reagan placed on the agreement, it went into effect without fanfare. Reagan signed the final implement documents on Saturday white vacationing at the California White House. Mulroney was vacationing in Florida.

## Indonesia

(OPECNA): Indonesian private enterprises will benefit from two loans of \$200 million to be extended by the Asian Development Bank (ADB).

grace period.

million, which is interest-free, comes from the bank's concessionary fund and is repayable in 35 years, including a 10-year

Both loans carry a service charge of one per cent per year.

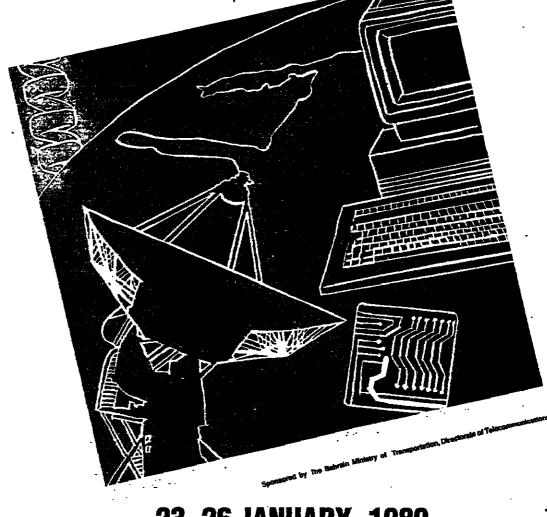
ADB also approved two technical assistance grants totalling \$0.70 million to finance studies relating to regional development

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# Dollar's first fix of the year is lower

difficiollar was lower at its first fix of the year here today in thin putness with key foreign Olerchange markets closed for the New Year holiday.

Deslers were uncertain about Oh which way the US currency would move tomorrow when m most markets reopened. "Things "a could go either way," said one "west German currency trader. Currency trade was expected o to dwindle further as the day as advanced, dealers said. Markets win Japan, the United States. Britain and France were all shut

today. Bottom

The dollar was fixed lower here at 1.7675 marks after 1.7803 📆 on Friday, dealers said. The fix was close of 1.7755 marks. Comments from West German Bundesbank officials last

week made dealers wary of pushing the dollar towards 1.80 marks. Two members of the Central Bank Council indicated the Bundesbank was not happy with the dollar's rally,

in the longer term, dealers were waiting to see how US President-elect George Bush would tackle the twin US trade and budget deficits.

On share markets, the Frankfurt bourse recovered from a weak start but still ended below Friday's close.

Prices had eased at the start of the session on a weaker dollar and a lack of foreign interest but later climbed to end at the day's high as more participants entered the market.

Many domestic players had not returned from holiday.

"We'll probably have to wait until tomorrow, or possibly next week, to discern a trend," said one share dealer. "There are too few players in the market now."

The Real-Time 30-share Dax index slid to 1,322.30 in early dealings before rising to close at 1,335.02, 7.14 points below the previous close of 1,327.87. Its 1988 high was 1,343.82

Dutch share prices advanced in a thin morning session which saw shipper Nedlloyd surge ahead, dealers said.

On other share markets that were open, prices on the Stockholm Bourse opened sharply lower after a surprise tax package announced by Finance Minister Kjell-Olof Feldt at the weekend, dealers said.

The index for Sweden's top 16 histed companies fell back 2.7 per cent in low turnover.

On Saturday, Feldt said he was abolishing a tax concession granted to investors who make losses on shares they hold for over two vears. He also announced a 15 per cent tax on 1989 company

Mixed

Italian shares were mixed. The price of gold bullion drifted slightly lower and was quoted at around \$409.75 an ounce in Europe compared with a London fix of 410.25 on Friday after-

Few oil traders were at their desks and brent oil from Britain's North Sea for February delivery was quoted around unchanged in London at \$15.65 a barrel.

Meanwhile, share prices at Tokyo Stock Exchange are expected to rise following its opening on Wednesday, financial analysts said today.

It is worth noting that monetary glut and economic revival have so far increased local demand reflecting a record increase in the Nikkei average indicator up to 30159 in the last session of 1988, the first since

Share prices are expected to reach higher levels during the current week as local interest rates and exchange rates were stable in recent days.

Improved

The economy and major industries had improved in 1988 while stability of exchange rate in Tokyo's bourse had led to a steady recovery of share prices.

Nikkei index had registered 30,000 yeas for the first time in last December due to the yen's rise, decline of the crude oil prices and interest rates.

## Venezuela to suspend payments on most of its \$30.3b debt

CARACAS, Jan 2, (Reuter): Venezuela, long a model debtor, began the New Year by announcing it would suspend payments on most of its \$30.3 billion in foreign debt, the developing world's fourth largest.

Foreign bankers said President Jaime Lusinchi's announcement on Saturday that the government would suspend payments on the principal of private foreign bank loans made before 1984 was prompted by ashortage of liquid foreign \*\* exchange needed to maintain Venezuela's level of imports.

Although the country's estimated \$7 billion in foreign reserves could buy nine months of imports, most of the money is in gold or on deposit at the International Monetary Fund (IMF).

Stirred Economists said drawing on either stock could have stirred heated political controversy in the last month of Lusinchi's fivevear administration. Political analysts said the president wants to end his term on a high note

KUWAIT, Jan 2, (KUNA): Fin-

ancial adviser Khaled Abul

Saoud today said here he expects

coming three months within its

limits in the last quarter of 1988.

sharp decline in the price of the

American currency due to inter-

national trade complications

and monetary policies of indus-trial countries which will boost

the dollar in order to make the

decline gradually in case it could

He said the Kuwaiti dinar

would maintain its last Decem-

ber's price which ranged between

279 and 284 fils against the

AMMAN, Jan 2, (Reuter): Jor-

dan has increased the price of

airline tickets bought in the

country by 28 per cent to offset

the drop in the value of the local

currency and to deter

speculators, an official said

Civil Aviation Authority is effec-

tive from Jan 1 and will apply to

Royal Jordanian and foreign

Ghassan Ali, vice-president

for sales and marketing of Royal

Jordanian Airlines, said people from outside Jordan had been

buying nickets at a 40 per cent

discount compared with inter-

Value

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not maintain its current level.

Jordan hikes

air fares

airlines, he said.

national prices.

to offset

devaluation

Abul Saoud, in an interview

mi the exchange rate of the US

dollar to remain stable during the

before handing over power to President-elect Carlos Andres

Perez on Feb 2. But bankers say Venezuela's highly liquid reserves — foreign exchange holdings which can be withdrawn within 30 days have dwindled rapidly to the point of threatening transactions involving letters of credit — a cornerstone of foreign trade.

Denounced hard-line Even American debtors have made a point of pledging they will honour these instruments, used to finance imports.

Peru on Thursday announced it was welcoming a mission by the IMF, an institution it had denounced since 1985 as an oppressor of the Third World and to which it had stopped paying its debt. The move was taken after Peru ran out of reserves to honour some letters of credit needed to import food staples, some of which reportedly languished on board ships in the country's main port, El Callao, awaiting confirmation of payment, local press

Venezuela is not faced with any imminent shortages of basic goods but its 18.8 million people are accustomed to Latin America's highest living standard buoyed by a relatively large flow of imports. -

A look around any modest Caracas restaurant illustrates the point. The well-stocked reserves of European wines and spirits at inexpensive establishments here are only seen in posh restaurants catering to the very wealthy in other Latin American countries. Imported

Venezuela imported about \$9.3 billion of products in 1988 while neighbouring Colombia, a more populous country of 30 million people, imported about \$4 billion of goods.

Bankers said they believed Lusinchi had been hoping to avoid suspending principal payments before handing over the government to Perez on Feb

Venezuela had originally plan-ned to obtain a billion dollar

credit agreement managed by an American bank and investment firm by December, 1988. But delays in putting together the agreement, which was to be repaid by seven years of future oil sales, ruled the possibility of securing the money in coming

Hard-line Bankers said the decision to

suspend principal payments was not a hard-line move but they added it removed the country's special status as a model debtor. Venezuela has repaid \$9.5 billion of its debt to private foreign creditors in the past five years - more than any other Latin American debtor.

The Lusinchi government sought special status as a solvent debtor hoping that foreign creditors would grant loans for massive development projects. But the private banks, which lend most of Venezuela's credit, extended only an estimated \$1.33 billion in fresh loans to the country, a fraction of the amount Venezuela was repaying.

The announcement on Saturday that Venezuela would honour letters of credit and pay interest while suspending the principal payments drew praise from Pedro Tinoco, a private banker who heads the National Banking Council.

#### **Importance**

"This (Lusinchi's decision) has great importance for the normai functioning of the national economy because it ensures the possibility of using our (trade) credit lines and continuing to receive in a regular form what we need to import from abroad," he said, adding suspension of prin-cipal would help ease the debt servicing burden.

"The important thing is that we will continue to service letters of credit and this will maintain the regimen of imports for the internal supply of the country," said Central Bank president Mauricio Garcia Araujo, a private sector economist who

point to 8-1/2, eight per cent with

deals reported at eight. Three-

months was marked 1/8 point

higher at 8-5/8, 1/8 per cent while

six-months and one-year were

both steady at 8-3/4, 1/4 per cent.

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#### Poles set for another year of queues, shortages and inflation "If anything, I think queues coal restrictions are accompan-

WARSAW, Jan 2, (Reuter): Wrapped in thick winter coats and fur hats, housewives stand glumly in line at a food store. Across the city, people shuffle slowly in chilling temperatures towards the counter of a clothing shop selling men's shirts.

Poles are accustomed to queues, shortages and shoddy goods. And despite a host of economic reforms taking effect in 1989, many of them say things

are going to get worse.
According to Lech Walesa, leader of the banned Solidarity trade union, Poland has become the "beggar of Europe." Short supply

Items in short supply include coffee, washing machines, televisions, good clothes, bed linen and blankets, car parts, toilet paper, shoes and boots.

Some articles can only be bought for dollars on the thriving black market, where the Polish zloty has become almost worthless. Inflation is soaring and Poland cannot even pay the interest on its crippling foreign debt of \$37.9 billion.

incomes are 20 per cent lower than in 1979, before the Solidarity upheaval, and Poles eat considerably less meat under rationing than in 1980.

Union officials say real

are going to get even longer next year. There are 18,000 people where I work and to a man they are fed up," said a factory worker queuing for food in central War-

The government needs to keep down inflation, he said. "I don't think its economic reforms will have any effect for at least five

#### Measures

The first economic reforms of Prime Minister Mieczyslaw Rakowski, who took office in September, take effect on Sunday. They include measures to

encourage private enterprise and foreign business and the establishment of nine new banks operating independently of the Central State Bank. Other laws taking effect in the

New Year reduce top rates of income tax and allow more Poles to legally possess dollars.

Western diplomats say Rakowski wants to inject foreign and domestic capital into the economy and strengthen the zloty to curb annual inflation, which the government puts at about 60 per cent. Some officials say it may reach 100 per cent in January.

However, Rakowski says personal sacrifices are needed, and the end of petrol rationing and

The Ministry of Awqaf & Islamic Affairs announces the above bidding

in conformity with the conditions

and specifications stated in the bid-

ding documents which can be

obtained from the Tenders Div, Block 16, 3rd Floor, Financial Affairs, Ministries Complex during

office hours against a non-refunda-ble fee of KD10/-. The closing date for submitting offers shall be 11 am, Wednesday, 11.1.1989 and the offers

shall be valid for 90 days from the

ied by price rises for these items. Petrol goes up 55 per cent. A domestic phone call will cost 50 per cent more and taxi prices go up. Postal prices recently

#### increased and some people fear a backlash. Clashes

Economic journalist Andrzej Wroblewski told Reuters: "If the government compromises, it will raise prices but then raise wages and so continue the inflation spiral. If it goes ahead with the reforms as planned, there will be severe clashes."

Price rises in 1988 sparked the worst labour unrest in seven years. The government gave in to wage demands, fuelling infla-

Economists say the government will have to act tough if it is to restrict 1989 price increases to its target of 20 per cent. Officials say privately that inflationary pressures carried over from 1988 will put inflation at about 50 per

"The government should raise prices straight away. Buying time instead of making really bold price rises will make the queues longer. Housewives will spend longer in queues and will often leave shops empty-handed," Wroblewski said.

## **GOVERNMENT TENDERS**

**Kuwait University** Tender No 27-88/89 — minor fitting works, replacement & maintenance of airconditioners at all sites at the

Kuwait University hereby invites the above limited tender. Tender documents can be obtained from the office of the Supplies & Stores Dept, Tenders & Bidding Div, General Admn Bidg, Khaldiya during office hours against an unrefindable fee of KD 50. Offers closing date shall be 12 noon, Wedneday, 4.1.1989 and any offer received after the said date shall not be considered.

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4. Certificate from the Central Tenders Committee and the Municipality registration and classification

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The Ministry also invites companies and establishments for registra-tion and re-registration in the Contractors Register of the Ministry according to the approved classifica-tion and specialisation upto the end of January 1989. All interested com-panies and establishments may fill in the relevant application form and submit same at the aforesaid address with the required documents.

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"The aim is to absorb the difference in the exchange value of the dinar and to adjust the imbalance in fares which had led to many passengers from outside Jordan buying tickets here for 40 per cent less than corresponding fares elsewhere." Ali said.

The dinar lost about 45 per cent of its official dollar value last year, but has been stable for several weeks.

Ali said the increase would depress sales of tickets for leisure trips but would not affect business or official travel.

## Economy stagnates

RIODEJANEIRO, Jan 2. (AP): The Brazilian economy virtually stagnated in 1988, with an increase in the gross national product of only 0.04 per cent. according to government figures published on Friday.

Last year Brazil's GNP, the roduced by a country, grew by official growth rate was eight per

Abul Saoud said major currencies' interest rates had gone up during the previous year indicating that it would continue to rise during 1989.

interest rates on the Kuwaiti dinar were meant to correct the rates were kept below a reasona-

ble level in 1988.

Systems

economic and financial sectors total \$10 billion per year.
However, he did not rule out an adverse impact of the interest rate increase on real estate and

share markets associated with

ROTTERDAM, Jan 2, (AP):

From atop his mammoth crane, Jan de Jong lifts a 25-ton con-

tainer from a freighter with a flick of his joystick, punches a

code onto his computer screen

and delivers the cargo onto a

railway car 200 metres (657 feet)

with 20 years ago," the 49-year-old De Jong mused. "Getting 25

tons of cargo from the hold

would take us all day. Now it's

The change in De Jong's work-

day routine reflects the 1980s

transformation of Rotterdam,

the world's biggest and busiest

port, from a labour-intensive

harbour operation into a digital-

ised logistics centre, where fewer

and fewer people handle ever

Cutthroat

has begun just in time to fend off

the rival ports of Antwerp, Ham-

City officials say the change

just a matter of minutes."

more cargo.

'It's quite a change compared

Abul Saoud said banking circles estimate that the Central Bank's sales of the dollar to feed

Sharp decline in dollar ruled out

He said the increase in the

the dinar but he added that the

Central Bank should have taken that into consideration. The financial adviser said the dollar is the major reserve currency and the backbone of the international monetary systems therefore talking about the future of finai requires concentration on the

situation of the dollar itself." He said last year had witnessed a real increase: in the treasury bonds issued by the Central Bank

He said the increase of interest rates on the dinar-drawn deposits would encourage inves-

tors to maintain their invest-

ments by the dinar to avoid fluc-

preparing for the cutthroat com-

petition expected throughout Western Europe after national

trade barriers are removed as part of the 1992 market integra-

tion of the 12-nation European

The Dutch government's

game plan is to make the Neth-

erlands the main trading centre and transit point for goods enter-

ing and leaving northwestern Europe. Toward that end it has

begun a large programme of sub-

sidies and tax breaks to attract

European headquarters and dis-

tribution operations of multin-

The Dutch scored a major suc-

cess earlier this month when the

Japanese auto giant Nissan

announced it would locate its

European headquarters in the

marked one billion guilders (\$500 million) in the 1987-1992

period to further upgrade the 2,148-hectare (5,306-acre) port's

The city of Rotterdam ear-

ational companies.

Netherlands.

Economic Community.

tuations of foreign currencies.

on behalf of the state against KD1.4 billion.

#### KUWAIT, Jan 2, (Reuter): Short-dated Kuwaiti dinar

deposits firmed today as traders covered positions in a thin and relatively tight market following a three-day New Year holiday. Dealers said Central Bank sales of treasury bills had drained surplus dinars from the market

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government is due to rollover

another KD70 million issue of the 91-day bills on Wednesday. Funds Overnight funds dealt at 10 and 11 per cent, just above Thursday's levels. Quotes for tomorrow-next and spot-next funds both rose to 12, 10 per cent from eight, seven last week. They

were no offers.

were bid at 10 per cent but there

One-month funds rose 1/2

ications network. New container

terminals and additional railway

yards leading to the port's 40

kilometres (25 miles) of quays

the map again as a sophisticated

link in the transport chain,

especially in our main market

United States, and the Far East,"

Rotterdam Mayor Bram Peper

Complacency

in. The prevailing opinion was that we were the biggest and the

best - a god-given fact that

wasn't believed subject to any

change," said the socialist mayor

Paradoxically, that period of

smugness coincided with the

worldwide economic slump that

followed the sharp rise in oil

operations, Rotterdam, where

Because of its huge volume of

"In the 1970s, complacency set

told the Associated Press.

in a recent interview.

prices in 1973.

We need to put ourselves on

- Latin America, the

also are part of the project.

ness in day-to-day funds as banks covered positions but said there were no fresh factors to give the market direction. World's largest port fighting to stay on top

cement due this week.

the Rhine and Maas Rivers flow into the North Sea, suffered less from that recession than other European ports. But another recession in the early 1980s brought a Western European industrial retrenchment, shifts from heavy to light industry, and radical changes in transport needs that brought

Rotterdam's traditional bulk

handling operation to the verge of obsolescence. There is a marked shift in the economic activity of Western Europe, a shift not only in what is being produced, but also in where it is being manufactured," said Ron van Harten of Rotterdam's Municipal Port Auth-

From 1945 until the mid-1970s, Rotterdam's biggest single customer was West Germany's Ruhr area, whose steel mills and huge chemical plants consumed vast quantities of iron ore, coal and petroleum shipped through Rotterdam.

#### burg and Le Havre. All are **US-EEC** food war hits US gourmets Fallout from

WASHINGTON, Jan 2, (Reuter): Without fanfare, the United States today slapped \$100 million in trade sanctions on the European Economic Community in retaliation for an EEC ban on imports of hormone-treated American meat. coffee (West Germany, Netherlands), certain fruit juices

The move, effective with the stroke of the New Year, imposes 100 per cent duties on seven types of speciality products imported from the European Economic Community.

The hit list, valued at \$100 million a year, was Washington's retaliation to the EEC's decision to ban all imports of meat from animals treated with growth hor-European consumers say the hormones, legal in the United States, could be harmful, while

the US administration claims

there is no scientific evidence of

Prices

To punish the EEC for its ban, the United States doubled the prices of the speciality products. Included on the list are canned tomatoes and tomato sauce (Italy, Spain), wine coolers and wine beverages (Italy), instant

(West Germany, Netherlands), pet food (West Germany Britain), boned beef (Denmark) and high-quality preserved pork (West Germany). As usual in a trade war. producers and consumers in the opposing countries share the cost

of the reprisals. Producers in Italy and West Germany, singled out because they have strongly supported the ban, will bear the brunt - two thirds — of the sanctions. Virtually untouched will be France, Belgium and Portugal.

The US move will hurt

America's own speciality shops

and importers. "This will have a disastrous effect on us," said Carm Tintle,

vice president of Banfi Vintners, importer of Riunite wines from Italy. Tintle said 20 per cent of Riunite's sales would be affected. Concerned by the financial fallout, Banfi chairman John Mariani telexed Italian Agriculture Minister Calogero Mannino suggesting the EEC compromise and replace the ban with a requirement that such meat be labelled as containing hormones.

Tariff Eugenio Pozzolini, one of the owners of Dean and Deluca Imports Inc. of New York, said his firm would lose \$2 million in sales of pumate sun-dried tomatoes, which he called a hot

Tintle said Mariani got no res-

hit' among wealth customers. "This is not a tariff, it's a ban,"

said Pozzolini. "Twenty-five per cent of my business is gone." Pozzolini and other importers rejected the popular perception that mainly affluent, "yuppie" consumers would suffer from the

"We have plenty of ismos dou-

bled-parked outside," said Louis

Balducci, general manager of

Balducci's, a speciality food store in New York. But right next to them you will find a little old lady who's been here forever. We have certain customers that have been shopping since 1920." This is going to hit every sin-

gle pizza parlour in the US," said Pozzolini. "These are everyday

The choice of EEC products differs dramatically from a sanctions list drawn up to punish Europe for potential lost sales of corn and sorghum in 1986 when Spain joined the EEC.

#### closing date. The initial guarantee shall be KD400/- in the form of a certified cheque or bank guarantee from a local bank and shall be valid for 90 days which is the offer's validity period. Ministry of Public Health Bidding No. MS/88/88 -- Supply of extinguishers and firefighting equipment. The Ministry of Public Health

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ferent spare parts The ministry hereby announces the above public auction. Those interested to buy are requested to come to the General Traffic Dept. -Traffic Operations — Motorcycles Div. for further enquiries and inspection of the items and then attending the public auction to held at the same place at 9 am, Saturday, 21.1.1989. The buyer shall pay KD100 as a guarantee to the Sales Committee at the auction place before the sale time for permitting him to take part in the auction. Such guarantee shall be refunded after removing the sold items within the fixed period which is

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كى في يونك قيت فريد من اضاف موكيات اسيت فريدك

ابكر بسنك فاى قمت يديكر بن ممالك معلا ط

كيا قاآنهي في بي كتاني معتومات ي بيائ كياس اود

چلول اور دیگر مترقات تریدنے کو ترجی دیں۔ ایس فی اے نے سری انگاسے ذاکرات کے بعد کرشتہ آتھے میں ۲۰ ملین

والركى جائے كى فريدارى كے لئے جائے كے أجمعل سے

درخواستس طلب كيس اى دوران اسال نومرس جائ

کے آجروں کو یہ فوری بیام طاکرود اسلام آباد على وزارت تجارت كے مكام سے كفتلو كے اللے فورائي جائيں۔

نَى ثريدُردُ كروب كي جِيرُين ميدالوحد فواج ليتاياك

هار مسلتے یا اسلاقی تمران کنبات تھی اجمیں گفتگو کے گئے

تقريبا ذيزه مال بعدد عوكما كما جبكه بم حكومت بر دور دية

يفس بي فيال او الريك

ال او کے نمائندے سعید کمال نے یہ انکشاف حقوہ عرب الموات

كالكافار عائزووش يد الول في كما كبات ويت تي

ال او کی مجلس علا کے ارکان یا سرعبدرو اور حداللہ حودائی او

تونس ميريال وكفائد عام بلعاوى مصلى م مل

ازی طرفین کے مکام کر چکے تھے کہ ذاکرات ۲۰جوری سے پہلے

شروع نس بول كروب جاري ش مدريكن في جكس كم

عنیوف، مغربی کتارے کے قلسطینی و کلاء نے فیٹی عدالتوں کالیک de

اوكون كودبات كامتاني ذريد ك طور راستوال كياجار باب

بقیں:۔ سری لٹکائی یماداسا

نے کما کہ وقاع پر اشخیر والے بحاری افراجات کو ترقیاتی پر مگر امیل پر

مرف کیاجا سکاے بٹرطیکہ مکسی اس دامان ہو۔ قادمہ پالیسی کے بدے میں صدر پر نادامات کماکہ وہ آغ اورست ممالک ہے

تعلقات محکم ماس کے اور ہم را بری اور دوس کے مطالب ش عرب داخلت کی ایک بری کر مندویں کے دیکہ کی مجی غیر کی مطالب کو ارض وض کے لیک ارفیار کے رقیعی تبتد شمیں کرنے و یا جائے گا۔

قریب عراصل فاس تدیم مندر کوه ۱ کررقبددے کا علان

بى كيار معرى كاكمناب كرصد يفاد اماجنون سفالك ساى

كاركن كي سطح عداية كيرز كا أقاز كيااور منوسط في عد تعلق

ہونے کیاد ووالک کے سے بڑے مدے برقا تر اور عد

اس جگد زود مک کے تریب قوام کی دستے تمایت حاصل رہے گ۔ اوم تقریب مضید داری سے کے در کل آل طبحہ کی نیشندن

کی طرف سے جاری ہونے والے ایک بیان میں کما کیاہے کسود جارتی

نی وں کی کمل وائیں تکسان کے طلاف جدیدہ دجاری دمھی سے۔

ياورب بعارت في كرشته مد مهرار فوي والبي اللف كالعلان كيا

مخلد ورس اناه مدريد الراسات كماكه للست فريت ك فات

کرنا برا۔ اود الطے ارد برس اس کا گزار استدوی کے سلسلیص

لخے والے بیموں پرمالین اس دران بھی اس نے کیامہ

شادیاں اور کیں۔ اس نے بندرہ مختف موروں سے شادیاں

كي - ريكرة كم ماكر ولد نه ١٩١٥م كر ٢١٩١٩ وادر ١٩١٩ه

ش ایک ع عرت سے شادیاں کیں۔ وہ شادیء مختر ترین

عرصدی استفعهاه ترکید شادی تمبرکوه طیاده ای م

ل- شاویل کےبارے عل ہو کھات یاورہ کیاہاس کے

مطابق يرق تمرى شادى يواس في ١٩٦٩ عنى كى مرف دى

لداى جدياني يريدون ١٩ وشريك مجدله اورجيشي واعداه ش

مول الكساد واركدى - الدد الماكر بعض اد قات يول محست

چفظراً مامل كر كي فوش موتى تقى اور كمي عن كلو قلامي ير

راحت محوى كر آتما مودن يوى ابتهل عالى كيلاقت

ایک دوست کے گھر میں ہوئی اور دواس کی مجت میں کر فار ہو گیا

مرس في معتقد عيان كردى كدو سولد مرتبد شادى كرجاب

لكن كالوني طلاق دے يكاب يلد ف كواك شاديول سےاس

كتين يجهوت جك والزيجان كالعداد كياره ب-اسك

ا فارہ برا کے مرین بھل شادی لیک جدد مال اٹکا سے کی۔ اس

سوال کانواب و التی می و تاب که کمان شادی کرنے کاریکار و

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طُلُل ایک بین چزے۔ بک آفریکاروس ریادہ سے دیادہ

شادیان ۲۷ ایک ماتی در طانوی وزیر کلین دی موس نے کیں۔

مستفے کے حل کی راہ عمل حال عمام ر کادیش دور ہو جائیں کی اُٹھول

بعین نہ تجیب اللہ خطاب

مقر المركب احتجاج

پایندگ ہے۔ امریک شرائع ہونے الحالی انبادی خروں عمدہ محق کیا کیا تھا کہ منٹری جرشی کا جاپان اور اٹنی کی کیسیوں نے کیسیا کو کیمیش

يامنت مددوي - وإن في محك كوتا ياكدان كول ك

محصة رب كدود كعاد كي بالناث كي الني يش عد الدرب ييد

امركى بعدورلدر يودث مكزين فالإرك اشاعت مع شال ليك

خصوصی رورت می کارستری وحق کی کماتی مدد کمیفول فرایدا کوبات کے لئے کیمیکو تکنیکی معادت اور قصوصی یب اور

بائب فراجم كا معملي ترحى كاوزارت فادجه كالك قر علن

ف كما كداس معلله كوشجيد كى سدايا جاد باستاد ثبيت كى يرال كى

ادرامن کی بحالی کے تیزور کوششیں کی جائیں گی-

بقين . شاديول كاليميش

المدد آركز شفت والتي من الرح استعاده من

چائے کے آجران نے اس دباؤے شنے کے لئے اپنے طور پر ایک فیر مرکاری گروپ کی فکیل کی۔ آجران نے ان بروکروں کو کمیش دیتے ہے انگار کیا لیس بعد علی اور کیٹ کا جازه لين رمعلوم بواكه كباره فصد كميش رسطله ط بواتحا

ىقىي :ــ ناس موقع پر موام سے پراس دے کی ایل کی ہے۔ ایک

بنيس :- اندرا كاندهى كے قاتل ے ۲۱ رمبر کوان سے ان دسمج اختیارات کے تحت ہوانک معد کو طام ل بیر اس بر فقر ہائی کرنے کیلئے کہ اتحار بھائی قرد مدل دیکنی بلى رُسِت آف اعراف فرديج بوت ايل مرد كرف كل

كرول فيا كالم بزارون اقراد في آايوت ير جودول كي بيال تجماد

وجيعيان مسرك بقبی: مارے کی تابی دھمکی

افغال محابدين

ف المار نوبول كوتايا كرانول في ايران عمرافعان ديم لكل كم چناور آنے کی و حمت وی ب اہم ابھی تک ان کی طرف سے جواب كانظار بالمول في كماكرو موورد يوس كوان افعان وجماؤل

رائل جائے۔ ۳۰ نومری مینگ میں جمیں حرید حرق کا مدو که بواکدای دوران عالمی بردکر کراچی سیج محصی برو اشياه محبد في اشياه كي تجارت برجائي كار أد يحسكت ليز

معلذ باشر المست كيل سداد تلت عن انحاياء ميل ومرك ددے بر محص تصد امر کی مدارتی تر عمان دومن بویاویک فے کم امرك في الما تحاديل سيد معلد الفيايب المول ت اجتاب كيا- ورس اخاء مغرني جرمعي كي ييف وقال راسكور

آ نجمانی فن کی کے آبوت کے دائے تال بزاروں افراد سو گوار حالت مفا تکار نے پتایا کہ حکومت کور تشایش ہے کہ اگر ایسے موقع پر منهاد كالىت از درث رقائم تقام در راهم ودر فادج في مان الاجر كرى ودر محكت رائ فادج اموسود محدالد صيبى ادر مكومت كالف مظاهرے كئے محصے توانس كترول كر احشكل موجات گا- دري الله موكوارول كي اكثرية الحول عن موكى كي ايوذيش وزارت مارجه كديم ينزعام في مقدم كيا-عاعت يمل ليك كرج بن جلد حومت في معافعت كرد كى ب برائ مركاري ديني في ختايا كدفي عمران جيل مامونك في آخرى دسوات من تركمت كى اوراوا هين المار تويت كيا یادر بریائی کریک آزادی کے بحد اور ایونیشن رہنما آنگ مان اپنی رفت کی کلیہ ہے۔ انسوں نے کما کہ شرق وسطی میں اس م معکل کوالد کو ۱۹۳۷ء میں بھائی دیدگی کی محل ان کے مطلب کے اس میں مدور در آزازت کی محیض کو رسمت دینے میں ان کے مک محمد اس کے در مدر انسان کی مدور انسان کی محمد انسان کے ملک نے اس کے ملک نے اس کے در اس کے در اس کا در اس کا در الحريرا كروام عن التلكي مغيل ب- عايا كما ب كرآ بخما في ن کی بوارے سی رہی کی جاتین مفرمجی دریکی تھیں اور اب طویل عرصيد يسترطالت وتحس باخردد الترق تعاياكم عياس يافي

> ے کما کہ ورکمی کا قتل عمل منصوب ریات کرنے کے لئے تیاد بیں اور جادی میں ملک کے بمتر سنتی اور افغان عوام کی خوالی کے کے جال جائیں فومت ذاکرات ریادے یاد رہے گزشت مدن افعان جماب ار دخماول في محومت كي فائر بندى كى تجرير مسترد كر

بقين بـ ايراني ايدمل كه الله محدد كرزير ابتمام جيواي بون والفيداكرات يم شاالرب يرمجمون فيصرو في المادون كي فيعمل علاق كوارودى مرمحل سے باک کرنے کی ہوری المیت دمھتی ہیں۔ جنوا ذاکرات ص شاالس كوكب اوركي صاف كرسة كاستلا أيك معليه تك كي كراه ي مب ي وركون المالي الراب الوان كان وزير خارجه اول على محر بشارتى بي كزشته روز أبك مان على ميسا زاکرات میں شمل کو افری اگ قرار دیا۔ انوں نے کما ک فاكرات جسست مدى اوروم ولجيى عامى ين اس الكي ے کہ ملاحق کونسل اور اقام حمدہ کے عکرفری حمل انسی کامیاب کرانے کائل میں دے ہیں۔ انہوں نے کھا کہ ایران کو ڈرے کہ ذاکرات کا گادورجی کامیلب تیں ہوسکے گا۔

بلغاديه الناليذاور موينان كمسلح ليفراف كريدت كموسل جائي جكه وائ ديكر مستعل درائع سه در آمدى وائد-ال طريق طريقة كار كافي منكا وطول ادر ونت طلب بوكماتها ومول فس كياجائ فيم واع كي اجران كوير جان كرب

آف کر ڈٹ پر ۲۵ سے ۳۵ ئی صد کیشن طلب کرنے

ویت انغان ڈاکرات کے افتقارے کمل افغان مجلوین کے تمام حزول میں اہمی اتحاد کو مضبوط بنایا جانا چاہئے مآکہ مطالبات ایک يد دم سيري كي ماكيس أجم ريس كافرنس يم موجود اتحاد ك لك اور رشما كلدين عمت يارف اشار فيسول كوماياك كلدي في مويت وكام كم ماته زاكرات كا أكده دور منه ارتے یاد کرنے کا ایمی تک فیل نیس کیا انہوں نے کما کہ واكرات على شمولت كرياى بعلودك كاجائزه لين كريدى فيعل كياباء كايادب موست حكام فاران عل مقيمافنان كلبرين كو

جسيس مقاي آيرول كوايك فيصد اور ديكريا فيح ممالك كروكرول كودس فعد كميش وصول جوار واے کے ایک آج نے جایا کہ اگر ہم نے ان مالی بروكرول سے سووا ملے كر بھى ليا ہو ما توجم من يمال وو او اب علية كى دُبليورى وصول بورتى اور جمين بريونث يرزياده قيمت مجی اواکرا برنی وائے اجران نے مکومت سے تمامدگی بر آرے تھے کہ کسی مجی مطلب سے میل ہم سے مجی ضرور ہایا کہ جائے کی سال فی کا مالت انتمانی تراب ب اور بازار میں جلى بدارق انقام كايك افراع كماكه مدويل في فى سلىلىش دوفوالى مقارقى مركر ميل كى تعميل مى جائد

رود تك جارق دستى اوراس عرام كى مغررابر شهليتر يواددني ا کو در این مال دو تعیقات کے مطلب میں شال میں ساود لک اعتاق پرایکورٹر نے مغرلی چرمنی کی جدد کھنی کے ظاف تحقیقات کے دور دار بوں گے۔ کما ہے کہ انسواں نے انکیا کوئی تحقیقات مردی شعری کے۔ اور ہے کہ انسواں نے انکیا کوئی تحقیقات مردی شعری کے۔ اور ہے کہ انسوان کیا گئی تحقیقات کے انداز لى رويد كرت بوسة بالناث كم معائد كى ينطش كريكاب وامريك کے لئے ایکاٹ کرنے کا اعلان کی کیا ہے۔ اصول نے کھا کہ یہ اقدام اس کے طاف احجاج کے طور پر کیا بار ہے کہ تھسٹی تمدیل سے قانونی ضابط کے مطابق عمل شیس کیا بار ہادا تصاف کے نظام کو في مسترد كردى-ش معت بالده م كرت بي اور سيكور أن مكام موكوارول س مكر قصلي يوكس كفراسين وريها فكاها بوزيش وبهما أتكسمان سوك

طلبه کی واپس سے پیوا ہونے والے سائل پر قاد پانے کیلیے می حکومت کو تحت حافق انقلات کرتا چے۔ آکہ ایوزیشن اس موقع پر کسی می طرح بیای مقاصد کیلئے استعال نہ کرستھ۔ او حرسالات

الريزكر دى ب- وليس كى عالى تظيم التريل كدر الع جس ر مکی کی فرنی ہے وہ مجھلے تین دون بن الی اے اس کے ملاف لئے دائ و مری د مکی دی تی ۔ بغ سکدن می ایر النزر فعا یا تع له اس کی لیک ملکی بدواز کو حملہ کانشانہ معانے کی دھم کی وی گئے ہے۔ اس دھمکی کی دچہ سوئیان کی طرف ہے انجام دیا جلنے والا مفاہق کر دارہا یا کیاہے جس کے تیجہ عرب اس کیسٹ عظیم آزادی السطین کی ال اوے براہ راست واکرات شروع کے تھے۔ موڈن کے ایک اخبار کو موصول ہونے والے تحریری پیدام عل کما گیا کہ تین بخول كا عدائر العالى كالك كليداد إمر مرقت كدوره مويدن ل ياداش عرد ماكد الاادى والدي كيد مردت فاكد الى لو کی خر نسی کی جس ہے ہے کابر ہو کہ ان دولوں دھمکیوں س ى كاتعلق ويل الم يكرو فك عدى كي تاي سبع اسکاٹ لینڈو کر کر جاہ ہوا اور جس میں ۱۳۵۰ قراد بلاک ہوئے تھے۔ تر عمل نے کما کہ اصلاق سکورٹی اقدامات کی دجہ سے بردا واس میں ا فر بوئی ہے۔ الس اے الس می سوفیان نامدے اور فالمرک کی تغیل کو تشی صد دار ہیں۔ بعن بالر شدہ مواندل کی روا کی ش جود محصے تک محر مرک آخر بوئی۔ سوفیان محافظ است اب سلطي وقيس آدائيل كي بن ان عن كما كياب كرايك اراني نیادبندگروپ بال است دا کرات عی مویدن کے اوٹ ہوئے کابرار لیے کرکے حمل کا معوست ماہ ہے جی تر عمال نے کماکہ ميرانى كفي اطلاع شير المداعرول في تقين كى ب أنه ترين وحمل كو مجيد كل ما ياء

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ك مودت يوسى اورافغان مطرين كسايس زاكرات كوايران ك

مدد علی خاستے نے مجلدین کی فیح قرار دیا ہے یہ بلت انہوں نے

چھلید مار دہنمامولوی ضرافہ معمور کے ساتھ ایک اقات میں ممی

نول نے امید کابرکی کرافتان محام ایمامغیل میں اتحاد کومنہوا

ما کر استین ملک می افزایدند کی موحت ای کر سکس کے اضوا نے حور کماکہ کلید ہوئی آخری کی کے امکانات بدے دو اُن ہو گئیس "پرمھلیوں کا سمتے کر کی تعلق کرنے سے ایتاب کر ایا ہے۔

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سائل كويمت قل كے ماقد حل كياجات كو تك احدال يسنى حود

زاکرات کے دوران دو اس پر زور دی کے کے روانے فی عل

ي تي روان روان كورك مودك كولك الم كرواد عدوم أيا

اور کماکر جب تکاس کی ضرورت دے گی جری فوس علاقے می

ب كدو بشت كروجهل ياميور فول يرسفر كريطة بين الفيدلي آئى ك

وَالرَّكِمْ فِي كُماكِ وَ إِنَّا لِ اللَّهِ عَلَى طرف عد تعاول كى يتكلش كا فير

عدم كري كانون في كماكه بمن يسرع والمسك قبل راحماد

بادرود بو كتي يروي كرتي إنون ي كماكر تحقيقات وال

اسلولے آگے وروری ساور بھی امدے کہ تریب کاروں کا

مراخ گالیاداے گا اورب مثلی برخی می باولوفرت کے تین صامیعی کو فرکر کیا گیا آم اس کرب فیلیرے کی جان می لمرث بونے کے الزام کی درید کی میں کا کم تی بین ایم ک

رُ عَنْ سَنْ كُمَا كَدَائِدَانَ سَنْ بِرِوَاذْ كُرَسَةٌ وَقَتْ بِرَقْمَتْ طَيَارِتْ

كمطف تام يكوني اوالمت كاجازه لياته المماك مامرك

عاتب بوت اور اس کاملان طارع من وارست محداد عص تام خود می کاردول کی می کود سافر کے ملان کی باقعد

سُرُ الله كُر اللَّ مَيْ تَعْمَ الريل في كما كرمسافر كلام جمونت عكر بسوند

تعلى وقت ند بخ مكے تھے انہوں نے كما كہ جمیئت مگے پر شر غلا

ے کینگراس کا ماہان عمل طور پرچک کیا گیا تھا بھر اس اس کو کے وا و بھارتی مکھ سے دعا تھی ماہر ہی جو بھی مجک کر چکے ہیں و عمان نے کماکر اس والساست سیکونی فائسی کا کسی مقاف سیوزی کی دیا

انمون نے کماک شمی بولازی کاوفرون کود بشت کردی کی متوقع

كادرواتيول كى دحمكيال مطنح كليه مطلب بركز خيس كديد وحمكيال

محض امرکی قضائی کمیٹیوں کو دی جا دی جی- اسیاب نے امریکی

وزارت فأرجري تقيد كرتي وع كمأكد مال كالوائل مي اسما

عم اسر کی سفار تھا۔ کریمن ایم طیاروں کے خلاف تریب کاری کی

بمير : \_ بينظير بعثو- انثرويو

ولك فرمعمل مودت والب يصدرمت كياطئ كا اثرول

ن ح كن المواف كياكرولك مشكل كام ب انول المراكد المري بعظ مع معلم م كم فوج ان جميرى تبطيل كو قيل

كرف والى ميسب الخرى قبت بعرى ودو باكتان بش دائ كراً

چاہتی ہیں۔ لین انہوں نے اس خیال کورد کردیا کہ موسمت لیک

طاقت دو فوج سے مار آرائی کارات افتاد کرے گی۔ انہوں نے

كمأك فرج كوزاكرات كوريع مجل فتجل في كوشش كى جائ

کے۔ فارج تعلقات کیارے ش انموں نے کما کرو فیاہ دور کی

كي كوتم ما لا كوافغان مماجرين تعاديث طك مي مودودي - انسول

والت رکے ج نے اصل حالت پر داکر دیا۔ پہلی ٹرسٹ آف

المراجر مال الجنى كے مطابق فرقك كے عادة كے بعد مدحوك

مات باقا بائی بریاک ہونے والے کوروام عمومور وخلے کے بیٹن لیڈر تھے کوروام کی گاڑی موموکی کارے کرائی محی

مقدم كي اللي المت ك الشماية وي كان آري المتروى ب-

آ م می آخراس والت ایک مستماها بدول و کستارت کردها تف

بقین نہ کارتی کرکٹر

وممكيل كي سي ياست برمشتري فسرك في مي-

بقیی:۔ عرفات امریکہ

ے ماتھ علیمہ ذاکرات سے ردکنے کے فواہل میں علت بار ف اس موقع کماکہ جملید بار حدث فواہشات کے فرے میں مشوک م شہمات میں جمالیں خصوصاً فاہر مثلہ کو درمیان عیرائ کر قام اس کا نربب كام يرتشدداسلاى تعليمات كے منافى ہے "الازہركے علماء كا بيان مُل مشكوك منا ياجاد باسب الهول في كما كدافقان عيام موديات فيحول قابو- ار جوری (رائش) عالم اسلام کی تدیم ترین بیفدی کی واپس کے بور ملک علاور کی اسادی محومت کے قیام کے علاور کی بات الازبر ك طامة كلب كمدّ مسكم وتشد الدوم وال ر د شامند میں مول مے ادحر اسکو سے مودمت خرد مال ادارے اس خالے کر افغان جملے دادوں نے مور فکر بارش طلح فوشامیت متعد عالمات پر کولے بادی کے یہ س کے جواب عل حقق بال كرف كى كاردوائيان اسادى تعليمات ك منانى يس مر کاری فیوں نے جمال اروں کے تعکافیل کوشکانسایا۔ کوسات

ماسكو- ارجنوري (اب) مينت رياست دمينيا كانتا

جدد - نورجنوری (کونا) اسلای کافزنس تظیم کے تے

تك كيل كى حيب ركما بانول في السليق فتى كونسل ك اخلان الجوائر کی توقیف کی اور اس اعلان بر سحدہ حرب موقف کو تصنیخ عرام کی فتح آداد باطارات پیدنے مزید کما کہ سنز تصنیح مصاحبات ا اسلام کایک اہم متلے جس کے حوالے سے عالمی براوری کوائی ومدوار إلى يوى كرف جايي-بييا كآنار يخي مينار مزيد نيزها هو كميا

مسل مرجوری (رائز) بیما کا ارتی بند ۱۹۸۸ء کے دوان حرید ۱۹۱۱ء می مرتبے جل کیاہے۔ اسبات کا تشاف جارے محران رومسرحوز سے والدے سال کی اصنامی ۔۔۔۔ من پہ حبور ہیں و عدے من وہ اسل می اسل می اسل می اسل می اربیر و عدے من وہ اسل می اسل می اسل می اربیر دربی اور مختلا کے مالانہ کھنے کی اس میں اور مختلا اس سے زیادہ دربی اور مختلا اس میں اس میں اسل میں اس میں اسل میں اس میں اسل میں اس میں اس میں میں اس میں اس میں میں کے اس م ملت الحكياس بإرسيل مال آئد ابرن كاكمناء كراكراس عدر تعظيل مودرات القياد كلا كالآن كالموسوس ييتارنشن يربوبك كك

بیرس شملا قات کریں سکیے آتا ہو - ارجنوری (وائر) مم کے وزیر فارد مست

كانعاد القال كرا

مدحوف بيدوكل كتبسا عما إكرانول في كوروام كواتد تك تسي لكا يأتناوروه فودي كركر دم وزكيله بثيلا أي مراكست بنك ڈيليتي کی دو سری پردی وار دات نگرد اجیری (ب) لک سوهن نے کیا شری تک سرکری وفوار سر عرب بوسیالی ترک پر تشرکر لیادر ۱۳۵۰ • روقی مطان دای راجن - عالیه عد بزارة الري رقم سيد فراد بوكيا ليلس كالك تر على ت 

جس براے عمل ور آمری اجازت دیری میں اکتان کی وزارت تجارت جو اشیت فرزیک آنگر بسند کی کارکردگی کو محترمان کے کئے تی جان ذالے کی کوشش کر ری تحی اور جو سری اتکا کے ساتھ تجارت ش بری طرح ناکام مو م كل تمي و و بحي اعد نيشيا اور كينيا كي ما تديا بي تجارت كا اَفازند كُر سكي- مرف بنكدولش في إكتان ك ماته مواتف ك عابر تجارت ين يمل ك إدر والمين والرك الب کے چائے کامیدار کی تلف صنحی اشیاء کے برلے میں کیا۔ عارض حکومت نے نظام حکومت میں تبدیل سے میں دوز قبل بكدداش المساح والمن والرى وال كاسوداكيا العطرة

كنياك ساتم بحى اصولى طور يرايك معليد كيا كماليكن دونول

ممالک کے بکول کے درمیان متامب روابط کے زبونے

۔ باجروں کے مان کے مطابق مکومت AAL ۱۹۸۸ء کے (ينث) كَ يَرِين عَمُ اللهارِ آب والدس قامُ مقام مدر مخب کیا گیامدر نسیاء کی میت کے فورابعد آب ذرید ہوگی اور ۲۰ فیمد اسٹیٹ ٹریڈنگ ایکر بسنٹ ک کی ویان سے آئین کے مطابق بدی طرح فرائش کی انجام عدد في كرية في الله الله فذان بالي في است تحديد الله المراد كل المرد وكالمرد كالمرد كالمرد كالمرد كالمرد كالمرد دی کا اعلان کیا۔ بول بول آمریت زدہ طک توہریش جمعدی انتخاب کی شاہراء پرسنیمل مبعل کرقدم پرحادہا تھا جشکارہ حاصل کرنے کے اور وال را بے جیکسوہ م ۔ ناکام ہو بھی بے کومت نے در آوات کے لئے 100 المین المال کار در آور کے لئے 100 المین المال کار اللہ کو اللہ کا اللہ کو اللہ کا اللہ کار کی جدی کرنے کا فیدا کیا ہے ' جب جائے کے المرون كويتين ب كه حكومت جائ را مك المحروفير ملی کرنی بدری کرے گی۔ سرکاری مکام فیتا یاک ملک میں برمال معبرار کو کرام چاہے کی شرورت میں ہے جس میں يارنى بنيادول يرعام التخلبات معقد موعة جوالتماني يرامن ے معبرار کلو گرام اب تک ملک من بین بھی بے اندا ملک

علی میں کے کر قلت کا سوال می پیدائسی ہو آاور نہ فیتوں می اضافہ کی محافظ ہے۔ اضافہ کی محافظ ہے۔ فی فریڈرز کروپ کے حیثوسین عبدالوحید خواجہ نے سالانہ غیاد مرح چائے پالیسی وضع کرنے می دورود سے ہوئے کما كداس طرن تحوك اور يرجون كيدواري بحى اسية كارواركو بمترینا سی کم چائے بعد قالم چرب اس کی متواز سیانی جدی و بن بیاسیان ورقیق کامی تعین بونا بیا ہے اور بیا اس وقت مین بو سکا ب جب حکومت مالان بیاد پر اپنی

پالیسی تیار کرے اور وقفہ وقفہ سے یہ آمد اور قیموں کا بھی

یہ بات ان طاہ نے مکومت کی ایک پر کی جس بھی قدامت ہند مسلمانیا کی طرف سے مکومت فاقف مرکز میں کا فتح کرائے ہ زودويا كياتحار اسيخليك بيان عمران علاوت كماكد مكومت كالف سلمانیں کو طاقت کے استعال کی بجائے ڈاکرات کاراستہ اختیار كرنامات ارتخى محدكا تدراور بابرة اردن افراد علاء كاس اعلان كوس رب تصعوطات محد متعل الشابروي في يزه كرسايا اخباری اطلاعات سرمتایا کیاہے کہ قدامت بیند مسلمان ملک ہے ا ماج کانے کی مختلوں کے حاتمہ اور مختاسا کی قوش کے خان

سوویت آرمینیا کے انتمالیندوں نے سٹنگرسیزائلوں کے استعال کی وصمی دیدی

ہنیدل نے میکی دی ہے کہ اگران کے کر فلڈرہنمائی کوجلدہائ كيا كيا أود امرى مشكر سرائدون كوريع على كري ك. إس امر كاعرف في نست يادن كي مقاي البار "كي نسك" في الله الحير في منوه تعليم مراح كمن كاركان كى طرف سه وحمل معنور تعليم مراحل كان كى طرف سه وحمل والمريض كما كياس كرويون کورباند کرنے کی صورت سمان دوستوں کے فراہم کردہ سندی اس وملاس تدور ركن كوب مدايمت كامال محتلب انون في ميزيل استبال كريد كد اخبار فالمعاب كد دكوه مراسله فاؤن فائرة والع ايك ادارت كوطايس يركمي ك وسخلا مس ادحرامين كايكساى دينماككما بكيد مرامله جل

ب جس كي اشاعت كاستعد كرياح كمين كار كان كودوانا وحمكانا فلسطيني عوام كى بملع سے زيادہ تھوس اور بحربورامدادى جائے... مامالقبيد مکر فری متل واکوملدات بدف دیا اور کاملای ممالک رزود دا یب کر میسینی تجف سے اوش قسطین کی عمل آدادی کے لئے

ے کہ میسیل بعقہ سے اوص مسین فی حمل ازادی ہے ہے استینی عوام کی پہلے ۔ زیادہ اداوہ حمایت کی جائے ہات انہوں ان انتظاب قسطین کی جمعین مالکوہ کے موقع برخاری ہونے اسلام انتظاب قسطین کا انتظاب خلید ہوئی ہوئی انتظاب خلید کے کہا کہ آزاد قسطین اریاست خلید نہ کا کہ آزاد قسطین اریاست خلید میں انتظاب کی خوام اسلام سے بہلی نہت است خاوہ بحراید اور خوام اداری خوام اسلام سے بہلی نہت است خاوہ بحراید اور کی جدوجہ میں ایک استان کا معالم انتظاب قسطین آزادی کی جدوجہ میں ایک استان کے مداس مدید ہے ہے۔ اور استان کی خداجہ میں ایک استان میں ایک استان کے مداس مدید ہے۔ اور استان کی خداجہ میں کا در استان کی مداس مدید ہے۔ اور استان کی خداجہ میں کا مدید ہے۔ اور استان کی مداس مدید ہے۔ اور استان کی مداس مدید ہے۔ اور استان کی خداجہ میں کہا ہے۔ اور استان کی مداس مدید ہے۔ اور استان کی مدید ہے۔ اور استان کے مدید ہے۔ اور استان کی مدید ہے۔

معراوراسرائيل كوزرائ خارجه

مرالجد عامرا كلادر فدجه موت ارزت الاركوييس الاقات كري مك دولول مكول كدورات فارد بك ين كميانى بتعيادول كاستعال وليك عن الاقيام كالقرنس عس شركت ف كراك مون في كوافلة النان كاسدد عمل طور والي جلا كرف يدي ترشرا تضعد عين دار و فاد يكون ف لا تات کی خردیے ہوئے ہے شمی تایا کہ اس دوران کن امور پر تاوار خیال کیاجائے گاہم معرکے صدر حتی مبارک کر بھی جی کسا امراعل کا دورہ کرنے چیئر چی پیٹر طیک اس سے مشرق و سکی عى معظمة المن كي قيام على مداغد معروابات كم الرائل فيال اوسعداكرات كراء الدحرق وسلى يرعالي اس يعترض

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مابانه دورة دبران كامسكه جلد حل ہونے کا امکان دہران - ۲ر بیوری (نمائندہ نصومی/ندیر ملک) سعودی وب بن پاکتان کے سغیرولی اللہ خان غوشکی نے کہا ہے کہ اکتانی سفار تخاف کی نیم کے ملانہ دورہ وہران کاستلہ وزارت كرحه كواسلام آباد بمجابوا باوراميدب كداس كابهت جارثيت اواب موصول ہو گاہ بلت انموں نے گزشتہ روز ریاض میں ایک صوصى طاقات عن يتالى إدرب بحد عرم قبل إكتابي سقار تخاف لي أيك فيم برماه وبران كادوره كرتي تحي حس كيدووان وبران اور الحق علاق من كام كرف والع باكتافيل ك باسورت ي تعلق سائل موقت عل موجا اكرت نفي ايم جد او كل اس روگرام کوسطل کر دیا گیاجس کی دجہ اس علاقے کے پاکستانی ار کمین واس کا ساک مل کرانے کے لئے ریاض جانا چراہے یا کتانی میوی کے قما تندہ افراد نے تاہم ظاہر کی ہے کے دارت خارجہ

عَلَّكُ عُن بنين كم عَارْ تَكُلْسَعُ فِرسَدُ يَكُرُون بير انهون في متركاك أكريه سلد جارى ما وعدت طباء ين دس أي ك الى وبعرو كدائم في كام عدى الديد الله الم مس كياجاسك بنين كم مقار كلا في كماكد يم في واقد كي وضاحت طلب كرف على الروار المينان تدبوا ومركاري طور يراحين كيا س منظے کو جلد کر کے مقار تھانے کی ٹیم کے دورے کے الل بدارم کامانددسداند سعودی عرب کے مختلف شرول میں

بعثو كايوم بيدائش مناياجائ كأر وبران- ۱ر بینیری (نمائنده نصومی) ملقداریل دول دیران کے سیرٹری جزل بنارف طفری اخلاق کے مطابق دجنوری کو پاکستان کے سال درر اعظم ذوالتقار علی بمنوے میم میدائش کی عمان کے سیاسہ خصوصی فقریب دام عمی منطقہ ہوگی جس میں سعودی عرب بحرب مربر ين براد عدا كراوك تركست بى كالباع كابكر فركاء كالوارش مناية كابتام بى كياكيا مصادق اندوروي كي ياديس سالانه

طرحی مشاعره ۲ مر فروری کوہو گا كويت- الرجودي ( عرب الدر داورث ) بعادت كايك متاز شاعر علاسه صادق المصدى مرحوم كى ياد عن دوموا ساللنه طرتی مشاہرہ کونت ش ار قروری کو منتقد ہو گا۔ اس سلسط میں كرشت دود كوت كالك عبيل شاعر شليدتان كى مائش كاء ي تقريب منتقد بولى جس من صاوق الدودى ك كام س معرد ثالا كياجريد شعراه كولمع أنالى كاد وسددى كى بمعردسب

(۲۰رد ممبراً ۱۱رجوری)

جس کے ماتھ مام طور پر آپ افاق میں کرتے ا حتری کے اثرات آپ کواسیت بنیات پر قاور منع ش مدد رس کے محت زیادہ منعی اثریاء کھانے سے کریز

( ۲۰رموری تا ۱۸ روودی )

آپ کو بے اشارہ لے کاک آپ درست راہ بر جا رہے ہیں' آپ ایک طلق کو درست کر سکیں گے' چھوٹی موٹی الق کون صفند ہیں۔ زیادہ پراسید ہیں۔

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آب این مجھنی حس پر زیادہ انتصار منیں کر سکیں

ے است و والکواے اس کے فیر حق ما تک طاہر

بول كـ لك النع موقع منه الا الحاسم ع.

(۲۰, ماديع تا ۱ ، ايريل)

على مدوي ك- آبات ول كابوجو الكاكر عمل ك تبديل عديداري كالحماد كري شائع ا

عطارو کے بحراثرات آپ کوورست اقدام کرنے

انسانسے کام کی۔

كري- بوشيارى سے كام ليل ..

آج آباں فض كے مات منن بوعير كے

الجمن خدام الدين كويت موانا الرعلى مراج فانتتاح كلمات جلسركا آفازكيا- جس عمان مدان فسومي جشس ملح و تی حالی کوان کے دیا اسلامی شدات پر فراج تحسین چش کیا۔ سفیر باکتان نے اسے مدامل ظیدیں مربع کوٹ شریعت فاتے کے جش متی فر فی طان کو سائلہ جی کیا اور وام اللی کو مفارت طننه یاکستان کی خدات سے آگاہ کیاس موقع برین او کون ن اپن شایات او سائل می چی سے جس کے جوابات مغیر ماحب في دية اور بعض موالات كي جوابات كي التي مغير ماحب فيراير الرضين شاه كوالتي ربايا الى طرمة تحوثي دير

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كاوا مد متعمد برامن طور برانتذار كي متعلى تعا-

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الوأكل شريجيف أفسامناف احزد كياتفا

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باكتان كودمرك آمر جزل كي خان ك قريب آ كا

اے اوی سول وزیر اعظم زوالعقاد علی موے تنفی ہونے ہ چار مال تک شیٹ بنگ آف پاکستان کے گرال دیے۔

١٩٥٥ء عن وزير العظم ذوالفقار على ممنو في النيس

حقیقت جو بحریمی مو علام اسحاق خان مدر ضاالحق کے

شرظام کیاہ کریولیس فسرقی شرفاند تک میں تعلی تعادم کے

ظاء كواس فلد يرجمان كدوران جل ١٥٨ ظاء فياد كرم كى - مظاكر كريق جنس عداية برجون المدن

الماك بم دوى كمام براس طلباء كاقباني تسي وي تكت الما

كايك منازم مقدم بن يمشاكر سولى يرج عاديا كياتها. كويد عمده جو والإا-

ب نے ۱۹۴۰ء میں صوبائی میل سروس میں شوایت اعتباد

الااء من فوق آمر فیلڈ یارشل ایوب خان نے آپ کی ہوتے۔

ک- ١٩٢٧ء على بعارت كي تحتيم اور قيام باكتان كر بعد عالم في كيدوانس سريزي جزل الجيف كمت مدد

مویان در باطل سے سریری خف مونے ہا آپ کو ملک کے برقائد کیا گیا۔ اس طرب ددر مونے کا شرف ماصل کرنے

قابليتون اود صلاحين كوديكية بوئ آب كومك بين بكل فلام المحلق خلق كي قابليتون اود تحراول كود فكرو كلية اوداً بالحي ك عقيم منعود ل محريراه متردكيا- مجرسال يعد موت صدو شيا الحق سند المبين ترقيل منعوب منطيل كالمثير

دی می۔ ۱۹۷۰ء میں کابید سکریزی نامود ہونے ہو آپ بدو سات سال تک قائور ہے۔ مالانکہ آپ سائنس کر مجت

وذارت وقل ش سكريش يرل كى دردارى سون دى ئيان بيل القدادى دوب دسين كاعراز يمى حاصل كياب ال عل

بعض اوریش رہنماوں کا بے خال ہے کہ ہ جولائی ضیالی کی مرود حایت راسی سنیت کاجیش متر کیا گا عداد میں بعثو کا محد اللے وقت فیا الحق کے قلام اسوال اس کا تعلق دشیداور کارکردکی پر ارج ۱۹۸۸م میں اسی اسیان کا

ے بڑے قری انطقات تھے۔ ذوالفقار علی بمثر کو اور میں آلگ دویاں چیئر میں متب کیا گیا کیا تھا تم مقام صدر منتخب بوسلے ہو آپ

انتالَ محترماتميل على علر كا والقدار بي اب شادى شده يرادر آب كا كادادي ير-

چینی پولیس پرافریقی طلباء کوتشد د کانشانه بنانے کا لزام

بالبيجينك يشرالس تصاوم كوالقلاحة بساجدانيك ساوفام طالب علم أويندروون وبيل فرمزا

عكنا برجودي (واكم) كان تراكيه افرقي مقار تفار أ كان عن الدو بزاري والدافق طباه مين كومت كرفرة ير

واقتلت کے بعد افراقی طلباء بر تشدد کیااور کما کہ حکم سے اس کی | افراقی مقار تکاروں نے کما ہے کہ مانجدی علی سیاہ فاموں ک

وضاحت ظب كر في مح بين ك يترسط أكار ملاء كون القاف يدر كياد بدوار في طاء كوي من ور كرو در الى يسلط المعلى المسلط المعلى المسلط ا

و منالی عدار ف موع جنیں بحث فراء کا مدد اکستاری ظام کا جرام می شال ب

كومركزى حومت عي الياني سكريترى ك عده يرتق مقردكا بعدش اعواهر السرودي الياستانودكم ألياس

والے وہ سب سے پہلے اور انتائی اہم جورہ کرید ایت

علام اسحاق خان کی قابلیتوں اور تجراوں کورنظرور کھے

میں لین انسی اختصادی جادو گر ہونے کا اعراز میں حاصل ہوا

بطير وزر ماليات اسحلق خالنا نے پاکستانی معاشرہ کو

١٩٨٥ء من النس مينيث من تما تندكي دي حي مد

مدو غلام الحال خان ايك نيك لنس " خداترس مسلمان

لنيم عاصل كردسي بي - أيك ودمرى فريس كما كياك يخيطه كام إن

جارى وكمتا بايند سفار تفارط في كماكديدا بمعمول فرق ع

نكنيكي ممارت عاصل موجاتى عيورتى كدفئ ضريدى بادر

جب تک عل فی حوصد در آمان ب افراق طار و تعلم کے لئے علی میں بلے بیل کے لیے سر افراق مفاد تاریخ کے اکار

يكك بن متحد افري ممالك كم معار محالين ك الماحد ياس

مِنْ كَ آخرينا فعنك مِنْ كِي كَاكُوان سَائل كالم على عد

وي جود إل الشرو كواقعات كاموجيديد وري الماء بني ك

الك فالب علم كو فوزي تساوم كواقع ك ملسل مقدم عادة

"اسلای قالب بن دهالے "کی میا الی کام کومب ہے

تكسد ملسالك كل مجرى كما هل احد كر في جس واميرانس أس تجويز كو تبل كياب اوروه و كياك أكده عواى رابط والم كيا

المن خدام الدين كون كرزم اجتمام إلك بطسهام وزارة اوي المسلة مك ممان صوصى الدجسسيك متروين كياف كون ك ودود در المن في المركت كي حيد منى في الل الله عند والأشون الاسلام كتعان ت عبطان مديل مب بين مجرباح ثنيان النائم من كزشته يعولت كويعواز فماز مشاه منتقديوا - كي على الماهات عن يلك بدا جام تفاجي كي موادت مغيرياكتين جثب ذا برصيرما وسيسفى ابتماعش تخريا

اکتان کے متاز عالم دن میریم کوٹ ترایست کی کیشش بیراور بیرا الاقای او اصلای تحقی کافرنس میں یاکتان کی تماندگ کے لیے کارید کا ایک مشتی کو آق مثلی ادا اصلام کراتی سے فی الحصيف مي بين اور دايد عالم احلاي كيد كن مي الرون في دو زالول على ليى حربي اود اردو على تقريم كى كونك جلس على حرب حنوات بى ترك تح يس كى توابش را مول يا تقريا أو كان حرفي ذبان على خطاب كياجكه ويزيد محنند اردو على تقرير كي- المون المال معاش مكت وري اللي الدي كواتين الإيلام كالمات كالمال المالي المالي المالي المالي المالي المالي المالي الم المُون في خوف خداد ندى اور تفقي كي ابت عن أيك جامع أوري ايران من دوروز كروران جاليس

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بارزلزله آيا تحوسا - سرجنوری (رائش) جنی ایران کے دسی اعظام س كرشددوديل كروران واليم بارزار الم يشور كي عوى ك كالعان مالال كالحريق ورازي والتيام كوبال

تسان ک طلع دس فی سات در و تران کی مال کی جا داران تربات عمد ال گ

کیل قدی مفرور کریں۔ خود پر زیادہ احکاد کریں ' احترالے کام لیں۔

(۲۰۰رمئ"تا ۲۰۰ربون)

عطارو کے بمتراثرات آپ کوزیاں عزر مناویں کے

لیکن آپ کئی فیرضروری فطرہ مول شاہیں۔ آگر آپ مبرے کام لیس کے واس کا کچل خرور سلے گا'

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آن آپ کواے بھرن بر آز کامظاہر کر ابو گا

آج آپ و کام انجام دے عمل کے دورصے کرہ

جادرب تصدحني فبالات يكريركرس وفكوار

( ۲۲ر بولائ تا ۱۲ر اگست)

من فور زبرہ کے خوشکوار اثرات آب کو اپنی

حموسی علی حیبت برقرار رکینے می مدد دیں مے

ائے طراق اظماری کی اور تبدوی ۔ آپ اپ آیک ودست کا مد کر سکل کی دومروں کا حزام کریں۔

لچکدا وروسانساد کری۔

روبيه التقيار كريري

المع مدى

آپ اپنے دوز مرہ کے مطالات بافی انجام دے میں کے آن الحالی فیر ضروری عمرات مول سالیں لیکن

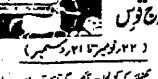
دومرے آپ کو اعرب عن رکھنے کی اعش كري ك- آب محولى بحول باقل عن زياده وقت منافع كرديين- أن أب ثودرز إدما حاد كرسين ے مددی ہے کام لیں۔

( ۲۲رستمبراً ۲۴ راکتوبیر )

مطاره کے بھراٹرات آپ کوایک رائے تھے ص کرنے میں مدووں کے ' کن آپ سے اپنی میں جن رونے کر کھی کے ایک عالم و حربے کھی ت تي يون على يركزن أكل ير الله

( ۲۲راکوردا ۲۱رومر)

چاتد کے اثرات آپ کو دومروں کے ماتھ اٹھی لمرح بیش آئے ٹیل مدویں کے وقاد کی صورت نورس اور خراب درائے رون سے بوشیار رہیں۔ معمولی ى ياكانى يدايوس يدين الكل فروس بيس-



مُعْ إِنْ مُعَلِّمُ اللهِ اللهِ عَلَى مَا مَمَ أَبِ اللهِ عَلَا آسانی ترد جائی کے مطار کے بعر ازات آپ او می جال می منتشرے جائیں کے آپ کی تفسید کی میں میں ہے۔ مخش ہے آپ کیمنے کامان جاتی ہے۔ یکھ اد میرے کاملی۔



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اندرا کاند ھی ہے قاتل کی رحم کی اپیل مسترد کر دی گئی 'جلد پھالسی کاامکان

ويند الشيور الأياسا الأواء والمراه في المراكز الأوازل الروايان

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كالعطيال بمول ويمكانزي بتلاكيا فاكرمعت سكرصد بلغل درسیة و سداد نوش کل سیدادان و بالدی با رو ادام اور بسکند و می شفه فرد و انتخاب کاری کال استان و با در این پیمار باد دادشت به کدون بر بادری با کرد بدن کسکید برم کر محک مواسط می سازند و می کارا مرد بالی باد کاری به کدون برم ساز کار درم خریق کیلئد بالی باد کاری کیدی کارد موسط خریق کیلئد

کا کیا ہے۔ کی محق لیک دومرے باذی کھرا بہت بھی کا گیا ہے شکاندہ گار می کے کل کے دوان کول ارکر بازک کر دایمیا تھا۔

کے ظاف محت ذہاں استعمال ک ہے انہوں نے کما کہ اگر انتخا مجھے ابھی کا ہم قومی رازوں سے اکا *ذرہب ین کیا گیا ، مجھے زہی*ں معلوم کہ پاکستان کے باس ابیٹم بم ھے یا نہسیاں

ستقل فائرينري كوقيل كر مح معلات واكرات كزريع حل كيواس وتمس خطاب

املام آباد - ارجوی (دائر) افغانستان کرمد فیساند مناس کلت کران کو عومت افزاد مجود نے کا کو اراده کسیده می انسان کی علی مدر نے کا کو اور کسیده می انسان نے محلیدان کو ستر کیا کہ وہ عومت مصلی میں اور کا میں میں استقال مدر نے کو اگر مجاری مستق ادانی وک فروی است و تفر موسائی اور وک سن محفظ از در این موسود می این است و این از موال می این است می این است م ک اختان فرد مل دور ب است محفق ان شافت و است می سازد ان از این می این می این می این می این موادل سے می این می ا انگرا انسان کوش مداد فران این این می سازد این این این این از این می این می این می این می این می این این می این شنتارين كافهاد مبم كذريد منظ كاحل وحويرا ماسك انون سناميد ظايركي كرائ حميى طاقات سدى مال براف

طاب كوددان كيا اهلا مروات كماكريس ملتل إرافرا كى سويونى كك فير وصدوارات بيدويه سويدي كروس كيونين ایرام بندون المسلط علمی از اموار ناکد کا گرمینودهای عومت عور بدرگروانشان میلیداری یک تخت کردیل پاکشان اور ایران میں مقیم افغان مجابدین میں اتحاد کی کو خ

شرياك والتفل كادجت وزين بالركدب واسلام يعلي

المعل يرنعدواكم وعرمت كماته والراسى عزرين كر

مطلات من كولين المن الموات عاليه ميول تريخ يذ كلوي

المران عربتاء كرين افتان منملول كويشاور كدور على دعوت دى كى بران الدين ربانى اسلام آود۔ اوجوری (وائٹر) پاکستان عمل انجافتان جولیہ اے ایک اندہ دورس حقدہ موقف القیار کیا جائے یہ بات مات ملدن كرات شاخى اتلوك اران ش متم محليداد والوال كو ياكتان كرور عداد داجى اتلاك كومتم كرة عد حقل عالى اتحاد كمرد ادريان الدين ديل فتران سوالي برير ملی کافرنس سے خطاب کرتے ہوئے کی انہوں نے کما کہ

مس سے لیس کے اہم خال می ہے کہ وہ افعان علمین کے وى لنكاميں يريا داسانے پڑھ مندر مي صدارتي عبرس كاعلف اتهال

فُرِية فوجِك كَيْ البني سقيل مَام ذلقيول كيمشتر كما جلاس كي كومشة

كيسيا- ارجوري (دائر الياق) سويت وين كائب داخلول سه سعيدي مرب على خرور والي

ودُي خارج الل ايرابم معلمًا مت من موت يرين كالمرقب المنجي السلسدودان شير كاكرين كيد وانتسوف في وكرشته اوروم

کافر الجام دیے والے بیل ورنسسوف افغانستان پر ذاکرات میں افغانستان کے مائل شاہ طاہرے بھی لمے نے کما کہ اسکو کی کے لئے امریل وارالکومت توان بھی میں جینے وریر ساتاہ محدمت افغانستان میں افغاد سے کمی کروپ کو پاہر فسی و کمنا

پاکتان کی دوارت فارد کے حکام نے اس پات کی قدرتی گیے کہ اواقی - انسوار نے کماکہ بم باہتے میں کہ افغانستان کے قام کروپ

ورنسوف يده كردة باكسان مني على على جمل افتان علدين الد فريتين لك مشركه اجلاس على اس مسئل كا باسميد الله على الت كد بندال سان كدراك الدر مراور شريع، كالدور الدراك المستن كالمش كري-

توان برباجدن كم ثمانندوں كے عسلامہ ليرا نسسيے عكام سے بھ

سودي عرب شي ميا تفاجس عل اطلان كيا كما تفاكد أكره دور

باکتان عل منعقد ہو گا۔ وونسوف نے تران پیچ کر اخیار نويس كوتاياكسدار الى حكام أو الرال على متيم افتان كلدين ك

وجماؤل سعافتان متظير جاول خيالات كريم سكد ورنت

ہ کال میں سیمت ہوئی کے مغیر مجی ہیں امید کابری کہ ا

حومت افغان مجادین سے ان سے ذاکرات کی کامیانی کے

تعلون كرس كى- وري التامل يل كسة حرد ك كورنس

ھِ اَنْفَائْتَانَ مِنَ اللَّهِ تِعْرِيْتُونَ مِنْ سِينَةَ فِينَ فِي وَالْبِي مِنْ

دادان افعانستان کے منط کو حل کرنے کے لیے کوشال ہیں بدھ کے دوز اسلام آیاد پنجی کے بدخس میں عالم کیا کہ اسلام کیاد عرب

بخربت وافلاس کے خاتے کے لیے قصرصدارت کے دروازے کھیلے رکھینے کا عرب



واسلف كيثرى شرس بره مت كالديم اوريد عد مندر س ليك ماده مرياد قار تريب على اين مدارتي مدي كاملف الخايد اس والمصوريك مكران بن جنولة وليوك ما وار كالت على معدى بدو بحثول كى مودكى على طف الحايد طف مداری کی تقریب کے بعد انسوں نے علاقے عل معدوں عيراتيل مسلمأول الدوكر اقليول كفذاي مقللت يرجى ماخري دی۔ ملف برداری کی تقریب سے مطاب کرتے ہونے مدر برعا واسلف كماكدتوى منعنول على اتعاد كذريعي فيرمكي طاقيل كو كمك كاندوني مطلات شداخلت ردكاجا مككب انهول فكاكر سمى وود كامودج طلع الويطاع السلطة عوام عاليل كى جانى ب ك دولك اوراس معامر على تيران مرود طرية ے ترکت کریں۔ مدر بادامات کا کہ علا بی اور الل بنيادول پر تقسم في كلك كو كزود كردياب انسول في الل اور مهالی انتبالیندوں کو ندا کرات کی وحمیت دسیتے ہوئے کما کہ اقبیری واكرات كيلتان كورواز مكلعين ادروبروت والرامت برخواہشند سے کھے کہتا ہیں۔ انہوں نے کھا کُسڈا کولت کیلج خو صوادت کے خوالوں کو کمل ٹھٹا کی حالت دی جاتی ہے۔ انہوں

ایک جدیرادربیشیہ ورفوج تشکیل پی جائیگی ، نوج سیاست میں صنورت سے ربادہ ملوث رہی شاہرارا نی کھاجائیگا ، مخاراتی کا خارجے گ بليت وثرامن مقاصد كحامتعال كه \_\_\_ مىدودركها جائے كا حبياد ودرى عارجيرياليس جادى هبثىء متماع يبيادات كمانجا كوديكسان وديماعكم كالسابي وليو الإعلى - مرجوري (يب) باكتاني ودراهم ميظير مو التاك مطاق كولتي بتيارون عاكد كالتي واللا كال

راس مقامد كيليم مستال كرف كي اليورم كل يوابوكل اتول في عام كيد جد والوريش ورفع كي تشكيل ال كي ترجعات على ے کماے کرائس ایمی عک پاکتان کے ایم قوی رازول سے آگا تس كيا كياهمد ي ستايا كياب كه إكتان فاللم مماليابي الين جيبت دكمتى بالراسياست عليمه دكاباع كا انول نے کا کہ فی ایامت عی خرورت نے اود الوث دی ب

يرطانى ودير فارجس جيفرى إؤكوت تنتي بانبدوي اعظم ودير فارج في مبارا الاتر كعماه

جنیواش ذاکرات کا گلادور بھی کامیاب ندہوسکے گا 'نائب وزیر خارجہ کابیان

ايرانمين سياساني

دُورے سکے براثعر

کوسیلے ارجوری (رائش) ایران کےوسلی علاقے می

لك ديمال كواسية مكان كي فيادول كي كمدائي كمدوران جاعري

معادی و به مان ایدهای مستورین به می مستورین به می مستورین به می استراد تین می موسال پرافست اس اس کا انتشاف دید و سران کی ایک جر ش کیا گیاد درمانی می تاک که است می می می کادن مید کی تصریحادی فاق میده اواری کودید شاک دیاس سرعدادی

اقعام حاصل کر تھے۔ یہ سے مامانی بادشاہت کے دور سکھتے جوسمے لیکرے د تکسام ان عن قائم دی۔

وم کی کیا ہے کہ ایران مواقع بھگ تم ہونے کیا وجد اس کے ملک کور حل حاصل ہے کہ وہ کی تھی جاتھا کی طاقی ہے سموان ریڈہ کے مطاق میر ایڈ مل حوصی ملک دادگاں سے کما ہے کہ

مران ملج مرب اور آ مائے برمزش است محقق استعمال کرے گا کیک اوران اور مراق میں مگ بیندی کے ادیدہ بین الاقوی ضوابط

اے اس کے اس حق سے محروم میں کرتے واٹی دے کہ آفد مال جلک کودو ان اورانی کرے کی مالد دملان کا علی کے لئے

فلج مے کرنے والے جازوں کاروک کر معالمے کرتی تھی۔

من يا الم الا وعد كرنا بي كر باكتان كي التي اليت كو مرف راس مقامد كاستول مك محدد ركما جائ كالدائيل ف التراف كياك في كوساست عليمه وكماليك من حكل كام ب اور پاکستان کی طاحر فرج جمعری تربلیدن کو آسانی سے تبل نس كري كيوه عوادانى كاستان إركري كالماسان برطانوی وزیر خارجه کویت بهنیج گئے 'شیخ صباح نے ائزیورٹ پراستقبال چەسكەرىيىلەت كادەكرىنى كوخش كرىمى كى- تىمد وب المرات ك نم مركدي اخبار "الاتحاد" كو انتروع ديت موسك انمول فے کماکہ مرحوم فرق رہماجرل میاء الحق کے دور می فوج ساست مرورت دولوث دى باب كابيكا فوقی رہنماواں سے انہم ماقی مسرمی رہتا والد خیارت کریں ہے امش تی وائی ہے وال روز ورورے ہے۔ وران عود نی م سیکا مرات وراوون انہی جائیں که دوان کی (پینظیری) محمرانی می جمهوعت کو جنظر فرجاز کے لیک مادیے می مدد فیاء کی باکت کے تمان الد بورسم کلک کے مطرح او کی حثیث سے محومت مجمال حی- دہ يمزلي فياء يرابين والدة والقفار على بمثو كوجنس ١٩٤٩ مش يحاني ول كن حي الكرك كالزام لكالدى يدر المول الموايش

> تیار کرنے کا کرام دوم - ارجودی (اپ) لیمانی مرکدی فرد مال ایمی نے دمن کیا ہے کہ امریکہ کریائی جھیڈول کے باانٹ سے متعلق اندا مد كالميلي حمل الدكر في ال كبلاك كرف في حميد ك طور واستال كرديك يجتى في حمد حرب للوات كاخبار الخليم کدیورٹ کا قرکر کیا حق میں ما سالے افز عرب ورائع کے توالے سے بنایا کا کرکم کے لیے ملے ویدان ڈائل کہا کہ کرنے کے لے ضرمی ور میج کا تعدد مما ب العظیم فعرود مونی کیا کہ اس علم کے لیے ایک اس کی ممک فیرس کو اٹل میں اور . از متران امری بیگی جاندان رقیت دی گئے ہے جوری ش اس منوب پر قل کرنے کا کوشش کریں گے۔

وحداد فيخاوك كولسبارى كا أرض كميا كيا- اللي ليشياه سفاس كي

ترويد كاور كماكر كول حزب الشاف كي هديد البت كرا جا الي ب

دیمی تک منظالیتان می اس کاقت مواجد ترب الله کا کمناب کراس لیفیاه کا حدود مختص می بهار دیا کیاد بهاس کودان کا

کما ہے کہ بیروت کے مضافات عی الوکر کے ان دو گردایال

كورميان بوفوالى جمزون ش الل ليشاء كروار كان سميت

چدد افراد بلاك موعد بلاك موسة والول ش ليك او كالجداد

اس كمال محى شاف ب ووشاى فوجيل سميت مسافراو الزائي بس

زخی بھے۔ جن ابنان علی معزول کے ماتھ بی عدد کے

مناهد على الله الدورية عوم منظى اللك

عل آول في المعلى ديد إخصاص في الناس كان محامور على مكومت كي والعلت كے طاف التيجائ قرار ديا۔ يد استف ايے موقع پر ملت أعين صبعدي المطم مادق المدى وتهلق ويرووكا كنف ی موری عروب می ایست می او است منطق است منط و است می است کا استان می است می است می است می است می است می است می ا کیرن می از کان فید در افغی فی است کی میرفراد دیار میریم کورث میریم کورث می می کی موفراد دیار میریم کورث می می کید می ایست می کارد می می کارد می ایست می کارد می ایست می کارد می می می است می کارد می می است کی میری می ایست کی میری می می میری می میری می میری می میری می میری می میری میری می میری می میری می میری می میری می میری می میری میری

بیروت میں فائر بندی کے بعد جنوبی لبنان میں امل ملیشیااور حزب اللہ کے در میان زبر دست لڑائی چھڑ گئی

ببیائے کیمیائی ملانٹ میں مدد دینے پرمغربی جرمنی سے امریکہ کا حقیاج ا

امريك سية معنوع سياره عنائي في كيميائي بانث كي تصادير اسية حليف ممالك كويجوادي ان - اد ندی (اینیز) منورد می سردام و فرول ا سکافلا ان الله ایراد فود ک مطاق امرک المیدامی حتید ل انتقات ، ب ين كد لكس كا يك كون فيليوا كويكر بالت الميالي جديدول كيان في تعري الموسوق ميد علال ل تي سيد دن ان راميد سدملي يرسى كومت على الين اليالم طيون كالي كالي المالية المون الله الما الما الما الماس بان كريال المريد بان الي كيل المداد الما المراد الما الما المال المال

الميارول ل يارى ف في استفال كرماميد وري الما والدان

ان بدم سة بدوا دول كاروا كلي ين ويروست ما نيم و محافقها مظالمت مخت كرديد كل بوست الدرية وكالمربي المرام المال علاقا یع منان بس سی حرور صاحت فیر کی انسول نے کما کراس ل و جيد ف سابادا بادر تمام موالي الدور يكون ك أ

يه عظم و (البلا) مر دوري (قب) كليولين فلدي يو پيل موار شاديان ار پاهاها انتيل اور شادي کي واس کي الإسرامين كالسائن الأرامة الارامة والسيرية المرسيط بح سيانا - ي أدى التي الديل كي الدل جمادر فی ان تین ۲۸ مال نوی سند کما که دواس بلت سے والان ويكان مس بالدرب السمال الي عرب مال ب للهب أراس كالتياد طابل دينة معطابرب كمثلويال ھر شدند کی احل کہ کو سی ہے۔ اس نے کما کی شادیوں ایم اس نے ہمی کی کو ہاک میں کیاات میں کمان میں کو لئی میں چھائے۔ المدیر عظم نوزیں شائل شدہ اسٹانٹرو میں اس نے انگراف کیا کہ ایک اور کی لڑکی شائل میں اس کے اللہ میں مال کھی۔ اس م جِوْمَ عَالَى وَتَدَوَرُ كِيافًا بَدِ إِن كَالِي لَكِ مَالِمَةَ يَوَلَ عَ جُوْمِورِ اللّهُ السِنا بَدَرِي وَرُومِ اللّهِ عَلِيلًا مُعَلِّيلً مِوْفَ دُم كاكل فتان ؛ كماستربوسة كماكداست يعلى جاتونكا- تعسيل بالمقادية الى الماكداس كادراس كان كالمحدد مان هم جوادی همی که اس کی معلی بادر می مناسب شده می می او او ا عمال سنگه ال رواد کیلیدر ایک را اگر او اوری طور در اس کا آنریش برای رواد سرید مستحد او

## عرفات کی طرف سے تحقیقات میں مدد کی پیشکش موصول نہیں ہوئی

ترطوم- إرجنوري (رائش موذان يس كري يكري فداو

ا کی سکو بھائل کادائلاہ میاہے کسید منیسستان ان مال خانہ کی تم کریں۔ عوامہ کے محداد کو بھر ٹی مہوک نے کماکہ ملک

کے اتھوں میں ہو بیٹرز تے جن میں عمداد کے اس دھے گی کیل ماسالیہ کیا کم افتاکہ بیٹوں کیلئے کی زبان کو ان کے قام امید

کے مطابع مل عرب اواد بالک او براو ترک اور ۱۵ م برار سے

امركى دكام فلسطيني وجمار احماد كرتيج بان عاتمان كاخير مقدم كياجائ كان مثير قوى سلامتى 2 حرر الى الل المان الماري اللهاد كار ديدك يدى واشهال كرة على يالايكسن يحاس وككش كم ومولىك يدا كياتماك في في اوك يوسي يمرمونات فالركي ما ترواد تدیدی بداومروی فری انگلید کے مرداد شاخد فروس کو بتایار انتخراد کرد کر مقالت پر دہشت کردیل کے مرح مقط کرد شے فلائل کینیل کوفرد اور کرد ایک بار بار مقایا کیا ماير على جاي ش المشعود المت كروول كال الدين معدل المثال

تبت کے دارالحکومت میں دوہزار افراد کاپیامن مظاہرہ

تخى زيان استعال كر\_2 كامطال الكياس كيسياح كوكر فآد اود بحرد باكر وياكيا يجكد ١٠ جورى (دائد- ئىپا) لىدىن ودار حى هل إخاف بتعيادون كاستال يرباعى لكائى جائ سنمال الدخى ر بھی تایا کہ مطابق قافل طور پر منعقد کیا کیا قالد ہا اس قال معددهی می هم کاروند کردی کوشش میں گا- مظامران

> مائ فيم مركن شرافعنل ولدا صعد الشفان رمنائے اللی سے دنیافانی سے انتقال المركة بي النالله وإنااليه واجعون الذِّتمانُ تَهُم بِسِسمانُدُگان كو مسرحيل عطا فرشط وأثمين ان کی میت ۲۵ رومبرسد بكران بين دى كئسيد مام متعلقه اركان ع فرارسسس ب كروه جلدس بلدرالغائر ما مين - تشكري مركوارم ،- امير ماتم قان 14709 و 392

ليم اتحاد لوسن في دكوي

سل و الحراب مي ما الدين ميد ميدوات ازداد وول كرد الميدوات الدواد وول كرد كم الميدوات الدواد وول كرد كم الميدوات الدواد وول كرد كم الميدوات الميدوات الميدوات الميدوات الميدوات الميدوات الميدوات كود يكن كيافت الميدوات الميدوات كود يكن كيافت الميدوات الميدوات كود يكن كيافت الميدوات ا تمل میں ملوث بھارتی کر کٹرسد ھونے خود کوپولیس کے حوالے کر دیا ج نوحات يرواكر في يقين دباني دي تمي استقل كوباتد بمي تعيل كا ياتما اسدمو

تی دیل- ۱ر جنوری (رائش) بعارتی نیست کر کشاه ده عظم فليائن مس أتش بازى كى تيارى يرعائد ما میر مال حتم ہونے کا امکان منا - مرونوں (یہ) عیش کی مد مزایون کا بدء اللہ بازی باری ماری بندل فتم کر ندراس کا بیاری درون و اللہ آور دیت کے لئے کا محدید سے جلدی مشورہ کر ہے گی اکر فیر قافل طور پر تار بدندوال آخل از ل کے زریت بوسلوا سے جائے مال تصران کے اسکانت کو عدود کیا جائے

مرح نے این بر ترفاف کے لیک حادث می کار کے در ائیر کو دود کب کر سکیلاک کرنے کا ازام ب ایک بغد تک روائی رہے کبور فود کو آج کی کے سال کردیا۔ مور پنجاب شریفالہ کے ایک چے کے کماف کد اگر مدحورون قرک کر کے جاس کو محققات عمیدود یر اور لک سے جانے کی کوشش کریں وائی لیر مادد کے وقت ان کے ماتھ کار عل موجود ان کے ماتھ مومندد كومنات يرباكرو إجائكا فتكاس ودوكما التكريدي مخطود مرحوف ووكويس كروال كرويا يدرب كرات روز ك مال ي تقريات عن فير قاني آتل إذى فريك كايد ماد ١٤ دمبركو فيالدين بوا قار اور دين كي ايك

مقوضہ علاقوں کی تحریک جاری رہے

مى<sup>،</sup> ياسر عرفات كااعلان

م تھے۔ ار جنوری (آپ) آسر لیاس میلے جانے والے وراز

کے ورمیان زروست اڑائی ہوئی جس میں ادفروں ' واکٹیل اور

حين كن كاستعال كياكيا فريقين كدد ميك الليم التقاح ك

بازيل بر بمزي اس وقت تروع بوش بدر والحومت ويت

واخلت كم بورازاني بزبوسة المحلي والمنطق كزر مصف الليم

النظ صيداكي شدكاء ساره كل ودائع وملت كم سلاكام

ی یا سر سرخوات به العداد کرد برخوری این اله العداد کرد برخوری (کفا) بختیم آزادی قسطین الها اله اد کرد برخوری المستان موام کی این برخوری المستان خوام کی احتیاد خوام کی این وجمال خوام کی المور خوام کی این وجمال خوام کا این المور خواری است کا آنام می خوام برخوری المور ساحت می بردگار توکیک این خوام موادی و مور برخی المستان التقاب کی اساوی کا میام المستان التقاب کی این المستان می المستان التقاب کی این المستان التقاب کی المستان التقاب کی المستان ال روزے براویا۔ پاکتان کی طرف ے تھیل کے بیروٹ افریت برے کھلاڑی عامر طلستے جن کی آج سائلر یعی تی دانسی نے ليكن اس كياد جود أزاري كي اس لركورد كان جاسكا اور ميسوني طاقت کی تشدد آمریالیس کیاد ود آن می پرے ندد شرے 4 شاندار د تزینا کر اور بعدش و مطارین کو ایک کرے منائی۔ ائيس من آف دي ي كاكل فقدار قراره ياكيا مداد مرح كبش يه باكتان كى بكي فى يكتان فى آئ بطريقد كادر ٢٠ اوود کے محدود تی بھی اس نے ۲۲۱ و نزیناسنے کی پاکستان نے دسین داجد کی مسلسل فواب کارکر دیگی کے جدسے عام ملک کو موق دیا تھا ہوئی اور کہا کی وقت کھلتے آئے جب شی دوئی اکستان کہ لک وکٹ گریکی تھی۔ اور کھل ٹم ہونے سے لکے اور پھلے وق کہ دوئر قرائر کہ کہ کی کوشش ہی ہے۔ وہ عاکم بھے آئے جبر تھے۔ بلوچ میل داد نے ۳۲ رفز پناست جواب س آسٹولمیاکی میم ۲۰ صدر مارک امریکه کادوره کریں کے

همان - ۱رینوری (ک<sup>ا)</sup> معر<u>کے</u>صد منی میارک اس ادے آخری مفتے عل امریک کادورہ کریں مے اس اسر کا اعتمال لروان كرم في دوناك الراسقة فايره عريا فرام كي ذرائع ك حواسلست كيلب اخبار فيان ذرائع كح حواسلس حرد أكمعاب کہ معری صدد خالبا پہلے فیر کلی مرواہ ہوں سے جنس جاری میں مدارتي حده منجما في كم تحن چرون بعد خوش آمديد خيس ان درائ في الكرمد مرادك ٢٥ جدى كودا فكتن بخيل ك

ہیں مسید میں وہ جانے ہا کی دہ ماہ میں میں استعمال کا استعمال کے اور کا دیا ہے۔ بہت میں چھلے چار کہ عن کہا یہ تحریق خمرہ میں میرا اور آوازی سنتے عمی آن دی جی آنام کم جانی فقسان کی اطلاع مسی طی۔ حزب افذا کمڑان جگوں کو اسرائنل نیاز بلیجیاء جینی ایشان آری مرکم سملے سنتھال کمتی ہے۔ حزب افذے کرائیک بیان يعمل بمن آئی تی۔

شامی فوج کی داخلت برفائر بندی سے قبل جھڑبوں میں بندرہ ہلاک

حتوبي علاقة عن لا الى كردوران فريقين في تتاف أراكث كرنيذاً ورمتين كول كاستعال كيا

بروست او جنوی (ایخین) لبنان کے جنوبی حسیس میدا کی اواق شروع کرنے کا اوام ال بلیدیا و ما او کرتے ہوئے کما کیا کے ترب آج وقف شید مسلمان کردیو ال بلیشیادار در شاہد

عامر ملك في مرزيد الدودو كلازي آوت كي وسيم أكرم كي شاءار ولتك اوورز کے بعد ها ارز عاکر آوٹ بوگی۔ وسیم آکرم۔ مرح كي كالدون يكل على آج ياكتان ية آخ يا اله كالعظم كي مية وسية ١٥٥ وود ع كر بيار وكلي لي جيك عاقب يتى اورعام والمستفود كني عاصل كين- ليك كملاثى كورن أؤث كياكيا أسوليائي طرف سعب عدنياده اسكور وولل في كياور ٣٠ رزيائد النس وسيم أكرم في وكث أؤث

فيامل اوامريكه مذائرات كادوسرا دور جفية كوشروع ببوكا

متبعض علاقيلييس ووهسط يسون كيومسمار كرني كيخ بمنسطيني وكلاءني اشتجاجا جطرتا لمكردى

القدى- ٢ جنرى (اب كيا) متيف مرب علاقه مل جن بن سے چه كافتل نو في ہے قد برال نو ين ٢٠ كفظ كا القدى- ٢ جنرى (اب كي الله منده مرب علاقه مل المرائل في منده و الله و الله منده و ے ظاف ترہ اوے جدی واحث و ترز کیاجائے۔ مکانت اس بنا کیا کہ ان کے مکان می طرح میاد کے محد ان ر سلاكرة كالداقد متيان من كالد على المناطبة الرئي يكب المراكب كالدائدة الرئي يكب المراكب المراك برط يم علون على المد عود كالزام به ١٦٥ ممر كوليك فرقی و نشاور ۱۱ کتیر کوسافریس ری محصد ان افراد برنگامول م صر لين الديمنات تعلم كرن كالحالام ب- دري الناء عظم آواد كالعلي كالك الرئ كما ب كرام كالدي الل ين فاكرات من يك دور تونس عل شروع بول عدد معرفي في كلويارود كايش بترريحي لور فانميوث بحى بتروق برقال تيو السطينيين كووطن بدر كع جلف كفاف احتجاج كمطور يركي كل



كت - جرجوري (كما) برطانوي وزير خارج مرجعفري باز آج بات چيت كے لئے كون فئ كي اون كي اقل كون اور

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ی صور عمل اور سرق وسطی اس عمل مرفرست ب مسرات نے

انے وس روزہ دورے کا آفاز کیاہے جس میں واسعیدی مرب حقدہ مرب للرات اوان مثال من اور جيل بھي جائي كے

انس نے کئے تا تو پورٹ پر خامہ الدین کونا کا کر طائب کیے تک ماتھ اپنے شائر الدینات کو اس کی جی آیت صور کر آ ہے۔ اس موال کے جاب میں کہ کوئی اور مجھ کے دیگر و جمائل سے جاول قالات میں کون سام وزیر محتلائی کے مشمرات کے کماکہ ان

ش سونت يوشن كي بالسيول بي حاليد تديلي بالخنوص القانستان

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انتخابی افزامیات برخم میائدگی وجهست بهاری یاحت منى انتابات شى حديثى الديك في (مولا) أوراقى )



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بڑاروں سوگواروں نے آنجمانی رہتما کے بابوت پر پھولوں کی پیٹال تجعاور کیں عوام برامن رہیں ' ایک بٹاک۔ ہرجوری (رائٹر۔ ی پ ۱) بمائی تحک آزادی کے بہو کی بھداور ایونٹن رہنما آنگ ممان سوگروالدہ نون کی انداز کا در سے میں مداری و خد راہم میں اسکار

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كزشة مترى في كرير مرافقار آئ كيدمب مالدا

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افزاد کے ایش میں یا بندی عائد کردگی ہے۔ آہم محومت کو آنجھائی فن کی کے سائڈ رہے کے بیٹی فٹر پایڈیاں ڈم کرنا چڑے۔ بیک اس موج پر خت ترین مخالقی سیکھیلی انتظالت سے کے ہیں۔

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#### Schultz and Balestrat triumph

BRISBANE, Australia, Jan 2, (AP): Ninth seeded Dutch teenager Brenda Schultz had to struggle for almost three hours Monday to overcome Emmanuelle Derly of France 6-7 (7-9), 6-3. 7-6 (7-5) and advance to the second round of the \$150,000 Danone Australian Women's Hardcourt Tennis Champion-

ships.
Schultz, 16, who has improved her world ranking from 150th to 40th over the past 12 months. , stayed calm to take out the final set tiebreaker in a dramatic centre court match at the Milton Tennis Centre.

Twelfth seeded American Anne Grossman, 15th seeded South African Dinky van Rensburg and 16th seeded Australian Di Balestrat also won first-round matches on the opening day of the 56-draw Virginia Slims series event, which is being played on synthetic rebound ace courts.

The top eight seeds, headed by Helena Sukova of Cze-choslvoakia, Pascal Paradis of France and American Patty Fendick, have first round byes.

Grossman beat Belgian Ann Devries 6-3, 7-5, Van Rensburg eased past Australian Louise Field 6-1, 6-4 and veteran lefthander Balestrat struggled past Nicole Jagerman of the Netherlands 6-2, 3-6, 6-3.

Claudia Porwik of West Germany scored the only upset of the day, ousting 14th seeded Etsuko Inoue of Japan 7-5, 1-6, 6-3.

Australian teenager Rachel McQuillan beat 1984 French Open semifinalist Camille Benjamin of the United States 5-7, 7-6 (7-5), 6-4.
The tournament continues

through Sunday. It is part of a series of warm-up events for the Australian Open, which will be played from Jan 16-29 at the National Tennis Centre in Melbourne.

Results

Kathleen Horvath (US) beat Monique Javer (US) 6-3 7-5; Manon Bollegraf (Netherlands) beat Hester Witvoet (Netherlands) 6-3 7-5; Laura Golarsa (Italy) beat Ronni Reis (US) 6-4 6-7 (4-7) 6-1; Brenda Schultz (Netherlands) beat Emmanuelle Derly (France) 6-7 (7-9) 6-3 7-471-8; Catherma Tanvier (France) beat 7-6 (7-5): Catherine Tanvier (France) beat Julie Halard (France) 6-34-66-1; Nathalie Julie Halard (France) 6-34-66-1; Nathalie Herreman (France) beat Petra Langrova (Czechoslovakia) 6-2 6-1; Dinnne Balestrat (Australia) beat Nicole Jagerman (Netherlands) 6-2 3-6 6-3; Jill Hetherington (Canada) beat Masako Yanagi (Japan) 6-1 6-4; Liz Smylie (Australia) beat Andrea Temesvari (Hungary) 6-3 7-5; Carri Cunningham (US) beat Silke Meier (West Germany) 6-3 1-6 6-3; Carin Bakkum (Netherlands) beat Marianne Werdel (US) 6-1 6-1; Beth Herr (US) beat Sally McCann (Australia) 6-4 6-4.

#### Sreiber sails past Bailey in opener

WELLINGTON, New Zealand, Jan 2, (AP): Second-seeded Milan Srejber of Czechoslovakia beat Britain's Chris Bailey 6-4, 6-2 in today's first round of the \$145,000 BP New Zealand Tennis championships.

Sreiber took less than an hour to breeze past Bailey and advance to the second round of the Nabisco Grand Prix tournament at Renouf Centre.

Fourth-seeded Shuzo Matsuoka of Japan and seventh-seeded Glenn Michibata of Ca-

nada also progressed.

Matsuoka dominated his West German opponent Frank Dennhardt for a 6-3, 6-1 victory, while Michibata was taken to three sets by Swede Lars Wahlgren, eventually winning 7-6, 1-6,

Big-serving Roger Smith of the Bahamas beat Danilo Marcelino 6-4, 7-6 in another firstround match, while Meno Oosting of the Netherlands ousted Michael Kures of the United

States, 6-3, 6-3. Americans Robbie Weiss, Doug Burke, Paul Chamberlin and David Wheaton all also BILLS REACH AMERICAN CONFERENCE FINAL

# Montana helps 49ers overwhelm Vikings

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan 2. (Reuter): Quarterback Joe Montana threw three touchdown passes to lead the San Francisco 49ers to a 34-9 drubbing of the Minnesota Vikings in the National Football League's National Conference playoff yesterday.

The 49ers, who won the Superbowl following the 1981 and 1984 seasons, will travel to Chicago to play the Bears on Sunday for the championship of the National Football Con-ference and a trip to the Superbowl on Jan 22.

The Buffalo Bills, winners over the Houston Oilers 17-10 earlier yesterday, will play the Cincinnati Bengals next Sunday for the right to represent the American Football Conference in the Superbowl. **Pressure** 

One of the keys to San Francisco's victory was its strong defence, which kept pressure on Minnesota quarterback Wade Wilson throughout the game, sacking him six times.

The 49ers defence also throttled Minnesota star receiver Anthony Carter - who set an NFL playoff pass-reception record of 227 yards against San Francisco in the playoffs last January. The 49ers limited him to just three catches for 45 yards

San Francisco's running game was spearheaded by Roger Craig who scored two touchdowns one an 80-yard gallop — and churned out 135 yards on 21

carries. He also caught three pas ses for 26 yards.

Jerry Rice caught all three of the touchdown passes from Montana, who completed 16 of 27 passes for 178 yards. It was an especially sweet vic-

tory before the hometown crowd of 61,848 for Montana who was the losing quarterback against the Viking last January and had suffered three consecutive post-Season losses.

Minnesota opened the game's scoring in the first quarter when Chuck Nelson kicked a 47-yard field goal. San Francisco answered with a two-yard touchdown from Montana to Rice to take a lead they never relin-

Just as the first quarter ended. Ronnie Lott intercepted Wilson and Rice followed with a 21-yard run on a reverse. Montana then hit Rice with a five-yard touchdown pass. The extra point gave the 49ers a 14-3 lead.

In the final minute of the first half, Montana directed the 49ers 70 yards in 10 plays, capping the drive with another touchdown pass to Rice, who finished the game with five receptions for 61

In the second half the Vikings rallied for one touchdown in the third quarter on a five-yard pass to Hassan Jones. But after the extra point was

missed, the Vikings appeared listless and essentially were out of the game from that point.

The 49ers picked up two more touchdowns when Craig scored

Jim Kelly: finished the game with completions on 19 of 33 attempted

on a four-yard run and his 80yard stunner. Minnesota's top runner was Allen Rice who gained 20 yards on five carries. Wilson completed 23 passes in 47 attempts for 255 yards for the Vikings. The victory gave San Francisco coach Bill Walsh his 100th career win against 63 losses and

In the second game, Buffalo quarterback Jim Kelly, criticised recently for not producing enough touchdowns, came out throwing and finished the game

with completions on 19 of 33 attempted passes for 244 yards. But again he failed to throw a touchdown pass.

'After a scoreless first quarter, Buffalo's Leonard Smith blocked a Houston punt to give

the Bills the ball at midfield. Buffalo, 12-4 in regular season play, marched downfield with the help of a 16-yard run by Thurman Thomas and a scoring plunge by Robb Riddick from about a yard out.

Houston came back with a 35yard field goal to make the score 7-3, but failed on another attem-pted field goal just before the half ended when Buffalo's Bruce Bennett blocked a 39-yard effort.

Early in the third quarter Houston intercepted a Kelly pass, setting up a 31-yard Hous-ton field goal try. But the kick was wide, appearing to have been tipped by a Buffalo defender.

Immediately afterward, Buffalo drove downfield from its own 26-yard line to score when Thomas — the game's leading rusher with 75 yards on seven carries — ran it in a 10-yard burst up the middle to give the Bills a

Despite winning, the Bills offence sputtered several times as it had in losing the last three of four games in the regular season. Buffalo missed two opportun-

JACKSONVILLE, Florida, Jan

2. (AP): Wayne Johnson threw

three touchdown passes and

Rodney Hampton ran for 109

yards and scored three times as

Georgia gave coach Vince Dooley a 34-27 Gator Bowl vic-tory over Michigan State in his

final game last night.
The Georgia victory spoiled a

record-setting performance by Michigan State's Andre Rison,

who caught nine passes for 252

yards, breaking the former Gator Bowl mark of 192 receiv-

ing yards by Florida State's Fred

LONDON, Jan 2, (Reuter):

Scottish basketball team Murray

prise by beating the Soviet Union

national side 72-66 in the

semifinals of the World Invita-

tion Club tournament at Crystal

Livingston controlled the pos-

session and tempo of the match

through their American playmaker Victor Fleming. The Russians, invited to the

tournament as part of their

Biletnikoff in 1965.

Palace yesterday.

Johnson and Hampton

thrash Michigan State

one on a bad snap from centre and again when the Oilers stopped them with just inches to go

for a first down on Houston's two-yard line. The Bills were stymied again after Kelly threw a 53-yard pass to Andre Reed to the Houston four-yard line late in the third quarter. Buffalo elected not to attempt a field goal as the fourth quarter began and failed to score when Houston once again stop-ped them just inches short of the

But shortly afterward the Bills' Mark Kelso intercepted a Warren Moon pass to give Buffalo possession on the Houston 18-yard line and the Bills made a 27-yard field goal to make the

score 17-3. Moon, who completed 17 passes on 33 attempts for 240 yards' in the game, failed to complete a pass in the entire third quarter. But he came alive in the fourth quarter to move the Oilers 80 yards in nine plays. He completed four passes and the Oders scored on a one-yard run by Mike Rozier.

This left the Oilers behind by one touchdown with more than five minutes to play.

The Bills' ground game ate up three minutes before Buffalo

punted. But the Oilers sealed their own fate when Curtis Duncan fumbled the ball on Houston's 17-yard line.

Buffalo recovered with under two minutes left and merely ran out the clock to sew up the game.

Rison caught scoring passes

he also caught a 51-yard pass to

set up Blake Ezor's 3-yard touch-down run to bring Michigan State within 27-20 in the opening

But the Spartans couldn't

In 25 seasons at Georgia,

Dooley coached the Bulldogs to

201 victories including yester-

day's win over Michigan State in

the first meeting between the

European tour, were unable to

score for the first four minutes of

game and could not recov

Livingston coach Ian Gordon

said: "It came down to defence

and hard work. We just tried not

"We knew the hard and physical game the Russians play suits us and we were able to equal

them for strength. To beat them is a second Christmas."

universities.

from a 15-0 deficit.

to become over-awed.

Club side upsets Soviets

minute of the fourth quarter.

overcome an early 17-0 deficit.

'Flo Jo' voted 1988 Champion of Champions



**Griffith Joyner** 

PARIS, Jan 2, (Reuter): Triple Olympic gold medallist Florence Griffith Joyner also known as 'Flo Jo', has been elected the 1988 Champion of Champions by an international jury of sports writers, French sports daily

L'Equipe said today.

American Griffith Joyner, who won gold in the 100, 200 and 4x100 metres at the Seoul Games, beat East German swimmer Kristin Otto, winner of the six Olympic titles, into second place. West Germany's world number one tennis player Steffi

Graf was third. It was the first time the top three places in the poll had gone to women. Last year's winner was a man, Canadian sprinter Ben Johnson. from Bobby McAllister on plays covering 4, 55 and 50 yards and

#### Thometz ready for world event

MILWAUKEE, Jan 2, (AP): Speed skater Nick Thometz, who a year ago during the US Olympic trials was battling a blood disorder that sapped his strength, is ready for world competi-

Thometz captured the United States International Speedskating Association sprint title on Saturday by winning the 1,000 metres and taking second in the

500 metres.

Diving Friday's first day of competition, he won the 500 metres and was second in the

my skating. With the World Sprints Championships two months away. I've got a lot of time to work on things and have good preparation," said Thometz, who was bothered last year by a low blood platelet

"It's nice to be a national champion. I feel like I skated four pretty good, solid races," he said.

## 'Bernie' admired by many, teared by a tew

## **Ecclestone: the 'dictator' of motor sport**

LONDON, Jan 2, (Reuter): He may not look the most imposing figure in the paddock, but British businessman Bernie Ecclestone is virtually unrivalled as the central and most powerful man in the high-speed, high-finance world of Grand Prix motor rac-

ing.
In his regular uniform of black trousers, white shirt and dark glasses, the diminutive head of the Formula One Constructors' Association (FOCA) and vicepresident of the International Automobile Federation (FIA) is instantly recognisable as he goes about his business.

u - Li Respected. Even in more formal surroundings at such an event as the FIA's annual gala dinner and ize-giving ceremony in Paris. he retains an aura of dapper activity, stealing brief meetings and telephone conversations between introductions, speeches and courses.

Ecclestone is widely respected. admired by many and feared, it is said, by a few.

Everyone in the motor racing world refers to him as "Bernie" as if he is an old friend, yet he is often described, usually in hushed tones, as a dictator. He is the most influential man in

Ecclestone, however, has

Chesnokov

ADELAIDE, Australia, Jan 2,

(AP): Alexander Volkov of the

Soviet Union scored an upset

6-3, 6-1 triumph over his top-seeded compatriot Andrei Ches-

nokov today in the first round of

the South Australian Open Ten-

nis Championship. Lest-hander Mark Kratz-

mann, ranked only 150th in the

world, also recorded a surprise of

ousting second-seeded fellow

Australian Darren Cahill 7-6 (7-2), 6-4 in another first-round

Cahill, a US Open semifinalist, now has lost in the first round of

his hometown tournament for

five straight years.

recently sold the foundation of his power and influence - the Brabham Formula One motor racing team which he had owned since 1970 - and now relies, for his position, upon the support of the other team owners and those in power in the hierarchy of inter-

national motor racing.

When the sale of Brabham — Swiss slot machine magnate Walter Brun - was announced, cynics instantly predicted that it would mean the end of "Bernie" and his reign as the uncrowned king of motor sport.

They said he would lose his hold within Formula One by selling out. Or, they suggested, he now intended to pull out altogether and leave for another commercial or sporting world.

"I have no links or connections left with Brabham," he said. "I suppose it is sad really. after all the years we have been together, but I am not sad about it personally. The team has been sold and will return to Formula One Grand Prix racing.
"That is a good thing. I have

been very busy and it is a full-time job to run a Formula One racing team. I could not give Brabham the time. That is all there is to it. "I do not feel my position with FOCA is compromised. Not at

knocked out

Chesnokov, ranked 14th in the

world to Volkov's 79th, had no

answer to the powerful serving

and hard-hitting of his close

It was only Volkov's second win against Chesnokov in six

Advance

The early defeats of Ches-

nokov and Cahill left third-

seeded Yugoslav Slobodan

Zivojinovic as the highest-

ranked player in the 32-draw

Nabisco Grand Prix event.

which is being played on synthetic rebound ace courts at

all. I may not be a team owner or team chief, or technically a "constructor" anymore, but I cannot see any problems. It should not make any difference.

"The others — that is to say the other team-owners and teamchiefs - are perfectly happy for me to remain as their representative and run FOCA. I am sure there will be no problems arising there at all."

Encountered

Born in Suffolk, England, in 1936, Ecclestone has encountered few setbacks in his successful career as an entrepreneur since studying engineering at a London polytechnic.

He graduated into motor racing by riding motor cycles as a 15year-old and then following his interest by moving into Formula Three and then Formula One as a team manager-owner. He bought the Connaught

Formula One team in 1958 and later partnered Jochen Rindt in running a Formula Two Lotus team before taking over Brabham in 1970.

As Brabham team chief, he won two world titles before withdrawing the team from the championship in 1988 because of problems over engine supplies. But it was not his success on the track which made his name so

much as his dynamic impact on

n 1st round

Fifth-seeded Wally Masurand

No.8 Jason Stoltenberg, both of

Australia, were the only seeds to

advance on the first day of the

Glenn Layendecker 6-4, 7-5.

Stoltenberg, 17, downed veteran

compatriot Brad Drewett 6-3,

Layendecker was involved in a

protracted dispute with the

umpire over a controversial call

on the point which gave Masur

Another young Australian. Swedish-born Johan Anderson,

17. outlasted compatriot Brod

Masur ousted American

tournament.

victory.

Dyke 5-7, 6-4, 6-4.

the sport during the 1970's and

He all but created the modern highly-professional marketing arena it has become through his marshalling of the constructors into FOCA.

He became the teams' champion in a battle for power with FISA and its president Jean-Marie Balestre, achieving for the teams in terms of sponsorships, conditions, image and rules what the great Scottish driver Jackie Stewart did for the drivers in a campaign for improved safety on the circuits.

He is famous for his handshake and his word being his

Contracts

"I carry out my business in an unusual sort of way," he said. "I don't like contracts. I prefer to look someone in the eye and then shake them by the hand. If I say I'll do something, then I'll do it. If I say I won't then I won't. People like that.'

Under Ecclestone's influence, FOCA were able to bring a level of professionalism into Formula One that was previously unkn-

His success led to his election as a vice-president of the FIA, working in liaison with Balestre towards the overall streamlining and updating of all motor sport.

#### Aiaska score first victory

the third period, leading the University of Alaska-Anchorage ice hockey team to a 5-3 victory over a Japanese collegiate all-

against two defeats in a fourgame goodwill series in Japan.

It was the visitors' first victory

Wednesday.

to the Seibu Raiway Co. team 4-3 and the Japanese champion JDC Corp. 2-1.

through the forward defence and

with the cover arriving cleverly

grubbered the ball forward. The

turning cover were unable to catch him as he touched down for

his and England's second try of the game. Woolston scored his second

conversion to crown an excellent-

kicking performance by the new

recreation manager at the

at flanker and the responsibility

of leadership inspired Bill But-terly to one of his best perfor-

Next weekend sees six Kuwait

Nomads travel to Abu Dhabi to

play for the North Gulf XV

against the South Gulf. This

match will form the basis for

selection for the Gulf R.F.U. XV

The six are: Houston (prop),

mances in the Scotland team.

Peter Mason had a fine game

Holiday Inn.

TOKYO, Jan 2, (AP): Tim Koll-man scored a tie-breaking goal in star team today,

The Alaska team plays the

same all-star squad again on The American team earlier lost

Jacky Ickx in his Paugeot 405 T16 in the Tunisian desert. (Reuter wirephoto)

#### Ickx retains Paris-Dakar lead 6. Jean-Pierre Fontenay-Mus-

DIRKOU, Niger, Jan 2, (AP): Ari Vatanen of Finland turned in the best time for cars in the fourth timed leg of the l lth Paris-Dakar Rally yesterday, but his Peugeot teammate Jacky Ickx of Belgium still led in overall standings. The motorcycle event was can-

celled for the day because of the absence of a refuelling truck 150 kilometres (90 miles) from the finish of the day's stage — 732 kilometres (455 miles) from Tumu, Libya, to this northeastern Niger community.

The cancellation aroused the ire of Cyril Neveu of France, who had been well ahead with Italians Franco Pico and Edi Orioli. Already the night before, after

the 577-kilometre (358-mile)

Sebha-Tumu leg, Frenchmen Guy Frequelin and Philippe Wambergue, both driving Peugeot 205 Turbo 16s, and Briton Andrew Cowan in a Mitsubishi, protested the decision of the rally commissioner to assess them three hours worth of penalties for having missed a control

Frequelin, who was in third place in the overall standings, claimed the control point was either insufficiently marked or not installed where the road book said it was supposed to be. Ickx and Carlos Mas of Spain

each posted close victories in the

469-kilometre (291-mile) second special test from Ghadames to Sebha. Ickx's total overall time after

the fourth leg was 3 hours, 56 minutes, 27 seconds, with Berglund six minutes behind.

#### Standings

 Jacky Ickx-Christian Tarin. Belgium, Peugeot, 3 hours 56:27 2. Ari Vatanen-Bruno Berglund, Finland, Peugeot, 6:00 behind 3. Patrick Zaniroli-Jean-Marc Andrie, France, 1.51:50 4. Henri Pescarolo-Patrick Fourticq, France, Land Rover.

1.54:22 5. Patrick Tambay-Dominique Lemoyne, France, Mitsubishi.

mar, France, Mitsubishi, 2.52:21 7. Salvatore Salvia-Jaime Puig, Spain, Range Rover, 2.52:30 8. M. Tijsterman-K. Tijsterman, Netherlands, Mitsubishi, 2.58:42 9. Guy Colsoul-Eric Symens, Belgium, Mitsubishi, 3.23:25 10. Miguel Pricto-Manuel Junkosa, Spain, Nissan, 3.33:06

Stephane Peterhansel, France, Yamaha, 11.22:47 Gilles Lalay, France, Honda 01:46 behind 3. Franco Picco, Italy, Yamaha,

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## Hill takes England to victory over Scotland off from a maul. He drove

NATIONALISTIC feelings ran high this weekend as "England" played "Scotland" as part of Kuwait (KMMC) Nomads' domestic fixture. The game proved to be a very bruising encounter with tempers flaring on both sides. However, sensible refereeing ensured this contained aggression made for a close competitive match. England won the

The English team applied much of the early pressure, but strong tackling and poor options taken resulted in few clear cut scoring chances. The English backs lacked real penetration and so it was left to the forwards to open the scoring.

Conversion A forward drive and maui found Steve Hill with the ball who drove over to score, assisted by the ample frame of Dave San-

derson. Woolston's conversion /, gave England a 6-0 lead. Scotland had some exciting attacking moments, notably when winger Rory Duncan was in possession. England needed

the accurate kicking of Hall and



Hill: touchdown

covering of Hughes to prevent the Scots from scoring. In the second half the boot of

Adams kept England pinned down in their own "22" for almost the entire half. The loss of John Sanderson gave England even fewer outside options and Scotiand drove reientlessly at the



Adams: played well

Fine tackling from Dave Sanderson Jnr. kept the Scots at bay, but inevitably the defence broke and Steve Hutchinson Jr scored a try after some fine Scottish inter-passing. Adams missed the conversion but was on target five minutes later with a penalty after an England line-out infringement, thus giving the Scots a 7-



Hall: accurate

Out of necessity, England changed their tactics and began to drive at Scotland through the forwards. They also increased the pressure in the scrum where Best's hooking was excellent. The deciding score came with ten minutes to play.

to play a Scottish international side at the end of the season. Quinn (lock), Robinson (flanker), Hill (No. 8), Bulless (wing) and Ellis (full-back) Sole and Evans were also selected but are

Hill received the ball standing

#### BAAB may a re-open: Budd inquiry

LONDON, Jan 2, (AP): British track officials said today they would re-open a probe into Zola Budd's eligibility for international competition if the South African-born runner attempts to return to her adopted country.

Officials also were concerned about remarks attributed to Budd questioning the tactics of such anti-apartheid leaders as Archbishop Desmond Tutu and Sam Ramsammy, head of the London-based South African Non-Racial Olympic Commit-

Budd said in a television interview on New Year's eve that she wanted to run internationally again for Britain although she would not renounce the apartheid policies of her homeland to

Last spring, Budd - a British citizen since 1984 — returned to South Africa as the British Amateur Athletics Board (BAAB) investigated whether she had violated international bans on contact with her homeland by attending a meet in Brakspan.

#### Establish

That probe was terminated once Budd left Britain, but board officials said it would be reopened if she returned.

"We would certainly reconstitute this committee to establish Budd's eligibility," said Tony Ward, the board's spokesman.

Ward also expressed concern about the remarks attributed to Budd regarding Tutu, Ramsammy and other anti-apartheid leaders in the documentary, scheduled for airing next spring.

"If that is true then she has not helped herself in being accepted at an international level," Ward

He noted that the International Amateur Athletic Federation, track's worldwide governing body, recently changed its charter to give all member nations an equal vote. That gives black African nations more power if they wish to keep Budd out of competition, the spokes-

#### Ramsey gets Belgian job

BRUSSELS, Jan 2, (UPI): Jack Ramsey, basketball coach of the Portland Trailblazers and the Indiana Pacers, has become technical director of the Belgian national team.

Leon Wandel, manager of the Belgian basketball team, said Ramsey will watch a game at the end of January, Study video lape and spend a month in Belgium in April to make a first selection.

Ramsey will spend only part of his time in Belgium, Wandel said, for a full time assignment would be too costly. "In the United States, this man is valued at \$400,000 a year," he said.

#### Italian club

VERONA, Italy, Jan 2, (UPI): Italian soccer club Verona, currently lagging at mid-table in the League, has been courting former Italian national coach Enzo Bearzot, Milan's La Gaz-

zetta Dello Sport reported today. Verona coach Osvaldo Bagnoli may have temporarily saved his job with last weekend's 2-1 victory over Fiorentina, but the paper says discussions with Bearzol will likely by continuing.

LONDON, Jan 2, (Reuter): Dutch star Ruud Gullit, back in

action after weeks of injury.

believes AC Milan can still retain

the Italian title despite another

disappointing result.

And Johan Cruyff, who in the

1970s performed as brilliantly in

the Dutch colours as Gullit does

today, is also looking forward to

success in 1989 after an emphatic

Worst After a goalless home draw

with Sampdoria at the weekend,

Gullit said: "In the second half I

saw glimpses of last year's side which won the trophy... we are

not going to say that the cham-

pionship is lost yet."
Gullit said of his own perfor-

mance: "I still have to find my

best form, but the worst is past. I

got near to scoring, but unfor-

Milan are eight points adrift of

arch-rival Internazionale, who

are unbeaten at the top of the

First Division with 20 points out

of second-placed Napoli with a

3-0 win at Lecce which included a

brilliant goal by West German

midfielder Andreas Brehme, in

Inter moved three points clear

tunately it was only near."

of a possible 22.

win for his Barcelona team.

WASIM CAPTURES FOUR AUSTRALIAN WICKETS FOR 25 RUNS

# **Aamir takes Pakistan to victory**

PERTH, Australia. Jan 2, (Reuter): Pakistan scored their first World Series Cup win when they beat Australia by 38 runs at the Waca Ground this evening. All-rounder Aamir Malik.

who will be 26 tomorrow, upstaged his better-known teammates with a spirited innings of 90 out of a total of 216 for seven. He then took the wickets of Graeme Wood and Allan Border as Australia were bowled out for

Pakistan's success followed four successive defeats and they now look capable for challenging Australia for a place in the final of the triangular tournament which has been dominated by West Indies.

Australia were always struggling to match Pakistan's challenging total made from 49 overs and when Border was out for 11 in the 31st over, they had sunk to 102 for six.

However, Simon O'Donnell, in his comeback match after being cured of cancer, staged a brave fightback. He lost Ian Healy, Craig McDermott and Merv Hughes as partners as he made 46 from 54 balls before being last out taking a wild swing

The wicket was Wasim's fourth for 12 runs in the space of

Earlier David Boon and Geoff Marsh each made 24. Both were out just when they appeared set, falling to promising young fast-medium bowler Aaqib Javed.

Dean Jones was run out for 13. falling to a superb return by Wasim from fine leg which shat-tered the stumps, Wood was out for two, caught low down the bowler Azmir, and Steve Waugh was bowled off his pads by a ball which kept low from Azqib.

Border struggled for 43 min-

utes before he was caught in the covers off Aamir for 11. Wasim finished with four for 25 off 8.1 overs, Augib with three for 28 and Aamir with two for 35 to be named Man of the Match. Aamir, in only his fifth limited

overs international, held the Pakistan batting together with an innings that included eight boundaries. He faced 135 balls during 163 minutes at the crease. He and Javed Miandad steadied the side from 30 for two after 10 overs with an 83-run

partnership in 97 minutes. They

were parted when O'Donnell

with the final ball of his 10th

over, had Miandad caught by

Terry Alderman at backward point for 31. Scoreboard

PAKISTAN Moin-ul-Atiq c Healy b McDermett8



Saeed Anwar c Border b Alderman 15
Aamir Malik c O'Donnell
b McDermott .......90

Javed Minndad c Alderman

Wasin Akram not out... Salin Yousuf not out

Extras (b-1 lb-3 w-16 ub-6)

Total (for seven wickets ---

Fall of wickets: 1-30 2-30-3-113 Fall of Wickers: 1-30 2-30-3-113
4-118 5-154 6-200 7-209
Bowling: Alderstan 10-1-32-1 (3w),
Hughes 10-1-49-1, (5w), McDermott
10-2-38-2 (2nb), O'Donnell 10-0-45-1
(2w 2nb), Wangh 9-0-48-2 (6w 2nb)
Did not bat: Tauseef Ahmed, Aaqib

AUSTRALIA D. Boon c Ejaz b Asqib ...... G. Marsh c Yousuf b Asqib .

S. Wangh b Asqib ..... S. O'Donnell b Wasim 

8.1-8-25-4 (2w 3ub), Angih 10-1-28-3 (Inb), Annir Malik 10-1-35-2 (2w 4ub), Tauseef 6-0-29-0, Salim Malik

4-0-21-0
Result: Pakistan won by 38 runs
Man of the Match: Aamir Malik
(Pakistan)

## Davenport puts a spoke in United's wheel

## Gunners blast Spurs to stay on top

LONDON, Jan 2, (Agencies): Paul Merson's goal midway through the first half launched Arsenal to a 2-0 victory over Tottenham today and enabled the Gunners to open up some space between then and second-place Norwich at the top of English soccer's First Division.

Arsenal's home victory, in a nationally televised meeting of north London archrivals, left it with 40 points from 19 games. two more than Norwich, which has played one game more.

The Canaries, which had led the League for 12 weeks before Arsenal nosed in front Saturday on goal difference, reclaimed first place for about two hours today. Alan Taylor, playing his first Division One match in eight years, scored Norwich's lone goal in a 1-1 draw against Queens Park Rangers.

Merson's goal came in the 25th minute, and Arsenal got a break minutes later when goalie John Lukic avoided a foul when he brought down a charging Chris Waddle about five me front of the goal.

Hat-trick The Spurs, in the midst of a resurgence after a disastrous early season, put plenty of pres-sure on Arsenal and had a chance to tie about two minutes from the end as Paul Stewart worked a breakaway. But Stewart's shot from 10 metres was aimed right at Lukic's stomach and the

tight to his green jersey. As the Spurs threw everyone forward in a last-gasp effort, Arsenal clinched the victory as Michael Thomas scored from 10 metres just before the match

Arsenal goalie clutched the ball

ended. Coventry and Luton both enjoyed exciting second halves packed with goals. Scottish international Dave Speedie completed a hat-trick to help Coven-

Barcelona keep up the pressure on Real



Falco: got the equaliser for QPR try to a 5-0 win over Sheffield Wednesday while Roy Wegerle and Mick Harford each scored twice in Luton's 6-1 thrashing of Southampton.

Millwall held on to third place with a late goal from substitute defender David Thompson which gave them a 1-0 win over London rivals Charlton.

Thompson, 19, latched on to a header by striker Tony Cascarino in the 86th minute to prolong Charlton's League run without a win to 10 games.

AC Milan can still retain crown, says Gullit

yesterday, lost 1-0 to Middles-brough with the goal coming from a former United player, Peter Davenport, who had gone

12 matches without scoring. Struggling Sheffield Wednesday's frustration at Coventry boiled over when their Icelandic midfielder Siggi Jonsson was sent off after 73 minutes for aiming a punch at Lloyd McGrath.

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#### Queensland face rare defeat

BRISBANE, Australia, Jan 2, (Reuter): Queensland faced the prospect of being beaten in a Sheffield Shield match in Brisbane for the first time for five years after struggling to 170 for six in their second innings — a lead of only 61 — against Western Australia today.

Peter Clifford was 61 not out,

his highest first-class score for Oneensland

The day began well for the home side with Carl Rackemann and Dirk Tazelaar taking the last four Western Australias inning swickets for 17 runs in just 17 runs 37 minutes. Rackemann finished with six for 65.

Score: Queensland 184 and 170 for six (Peter Clifford 61 not out), Western Australia 293 (Wayne Andrews 82, Tom Moody 69, Mike Veletta 59 and Carl Rackeman six for 65).

#### Shell Cup

WELLINGTON, Jan 2, (Reuter): Results of Shell Cup one-day cricket matches today. New Plymouth: Central Districts 78 (Danny Morrison four for 21), Auckland 81 for no wicket (Richard Reid 49). Auckland won by 10 wickets.

Mt Maunganui Northern Districts 90 for five v Canterbury. Match abandoned because

Alexandra: Otago 114 (Kevin Burns 52), Wellington 117 for four (Bruce Edgar 68 not out). Wellington won by six wickets.

GARMISCH - PARTENKIR-

CHEN, West Germany, Jan 2, (AP): Olympic triple gold medallist Matti Nykanen of Fin-

land won the second leg of the

traditional Four-hill ski jumping tour by soaring 109 and 102 metres (358 and 334 feet) yester-

West German Dieter Thoma.

who captured the first segment of

the event in Obversidorf two

days earlier, managed only a

fourth-place finish in the second

round but held on to his lead in both the four-hill tournament

and the World Cup competition.

Thoma posted jumps of 104.5 and 102.5 metres (343 and 336

feet) yesterday, trailing second-

place finisher Jens Weissflog of East Germany and Finland's Risto Laakonen, who came in

Nykanen lifts his jumping skis after winning the second leg.

Thoma retains lead in

him wide off the track.

Weissflog accomplished jumps of 104 and 100 metres (34)

and 328 feet) and Laakonen lan-

ded with 107.5 and 99.5 (353 and

326) in his two attempts, both

earning more style points from the judges than did Thoma to finish ahead of the tournament

Laakonen, who finished

second behind Thoma on

Friday, remains in second place

in the overall four-hill competi-

tion, followed closely by Nyk-anen in the third spot.

Moves

Thoma has now accumulated 433.5 points midway through the

tournament that now moves on

to Austria, and Laakonen has

429.5 and Nykanen 429. Eddie "The Eagle" Edwards of Britain also repeated his finish

in the first leg of the competition

by posting the worst jump of the

day — 32 metres (105 feet) — to

finish last in the field of 94 com-

leader on New Year's day.

Four-hill ski jumping

## Bilardo hopes busy calendar will be of benefit to Argentina



Burruchaga: hit by injury since 1987

BUENOS AIRES. Jan 2, (Reuter): Coach Carlos Bilardo hopes a busy international soccer calendar in 1989 will lift Argentina from the gloom of a disappointing 1988.

He is optimistic after the world champions ended the year on a good note with an encouraging away draw against Spain in October. The core of the side, including

star and captain Diego Maradona, showed even more keenness than when they won the World Cup in Mexico in 1986, he said. Shock

Argentina, who seldom man-aged to field a full-strength side

in 1988, were a disappointment in tournaments in West Berlin, Australia — where they received a shock 4-1 drubbing from the hosts — and the Seoul Olym-

The I-I draw with Spain left Argentina's post-Mexico record, not including the Olympics, at a paltry three victories and seven defeats in 14 matches. Bilardo, his sights fixed on the World Cup defence in Italy in 18 months, aims to take Argentina on two tours of Europe in the second half of 1989.

He has also asked the Argentine Football Association (AFA) to try to arrange friendlies with South American opposition, especially Brazil.

But the main test for the world champions will be the South American Championship in Brazil in July.

He said the AFA had a draft of his 1989 plans and it was the clubs' turn to support the national team after withholding players this year.

Bilardo said the only reason Argentina turned down an invitation to play in the Rous Cup in Britain in May was a clash of dates with the closing stages of the First Division

championship.
The AFA has arranged some midweek friendlies with South American sides in March and April and Bilardo hopes to have his full squad, half of whom are with European clubs, in mid-June two weeks ahead of the South American Champion-

Bilardo said that in March he hoped to gather the European-based stars and four or five locally-based players somewhere in Europe for training and possibly a match against a club side.

Devise

He said parity among the top European teams made it easier for him to devise new tactics for

Bilardo, apart from looking at some promising new players, is hoping World Cup midfielders Jorge Burruchaga and Hector Enrique will recover from injuries which have plagued them since 1987.

them since 1987.
"If Burruchaga recovers as we hope he will, with two or three young additions, we'll be even stronger in Italy than we were in Mexico," Bilardo said.

### Napoli pay for

'tactical move' NAPLES, Italy, Jan 2, (UPI): Recriminations are flying after Napoli's late benching of the Italian League's leading scorer during its 1-0 loss to Roma yes-

terday. Brazilian Careca, who has netted nine times in 11 matches, was substituted in the 84th minute at the Olympic stadium.

Three minutes later, Roma's West German international Rudi Voeller produced the match-winner for the hosts. The defeat left second-placed Napoli 💃 three points behind League

leader Inter.
"I certainly wasn't tired, I don't know why (coach Ottavio) Bianchi took me off," Careca said. "Maybe it was a tactical move. We certainly suffered a

brutal loss."
Officials and players refused to discuss a reported argument in the locker room after the defeat.

## New assets

BRUSSELS, Jan 2, (UPI): Steven Flack of Britain and Canadian soccer player Kevin Winters are the two new assets of Belgian First Division club

Molenbeek.
Flack, 24, joins Molenbeek
from Finland where he scored 15
goals in 20 matches. Winters, 20. played previously for the Van-couver Whitecaps.

#### Cremona fan

CREMONA, Italy, Jan 2. (UPI): A 15-year-old Cremona soccer supporter remained in grave condition today after being beaten near to death by rival Brescia fans following an Italian Second Division match on Saturday.

Davide Fornaroli was

attacked by a gang of hooligans as the train he was travelling home on stopped at a station.

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his first game since twisting a

knee in the UEFA Cup tie

against Bayern Munich on

"At Inter every action is easy

Lineker (centre) heads the ball between two Atletico defenders.

because we play a disciplined game. There's a clear division of roles, no confusion, no tactical problems," said Brehme, who scored with a curving shot from

Another West German, Rudi Voeller, scored in the last minute to give Roma a deserved 1-0 win over second-placed Napoli. "We were a bit asleep especially in first half," said Napoli's Argentine captain Diego Maradona. Juventus beat neighbours

Leroy Rosenior was both hero

and villain as bottom club West

Ham slumped to their sixth home

defeat of the season, against FA

Rosenior equalised in the 39th

minute after winger Dennis Wise

had given Wimbledon an early

lead. But then the West Ham

striker deflected a free kick from

Wise past goalkeeper Allen McKnight in the 84th minute to

Manchester United, 3-1 win-

ners over champions Liverpool

give Wimbledon a 2-1 win.

Cup holders Wimbledon.

Torino with a goal from the everdangerous 33-year-old Alessandro Altobelli and moved on to 15 points, two behind Napoli, with Sampdoria and Roma. Cruyff has his sights firmly set on the Spanish League title after

Barcelona's 3-1 trouncing of Atletico Madrid yesterday.
"There are 22 matches left to be played and I think that we will not see clearly who the cham-

pions will be until March or April," Cruyff said. Atletico led 1-0 at halftime but their English trainer Ron Atkinson said: "The key to the match was that Barcelona played a stupendous second half. When a team play like that it is difficult to

defeat them. Roberto Fernandez, England striker Gary Lineker and Jose Maria Bakero scored in Barcelona's second-half onslaught. The win meant Barcelona

stayed two points behind League leaders Real Madrid who also turned on the power in the second half to win 4-1 at Espanol on Saturday. Real coach Leo Beenhakker

said the score failed to reflect the fact it had been a hard-fought contest. "I was impressed by Espanol, but everything changed in the second half when Real started to play with great purpose."

Mexican Emilio Sanchez was the Real star with a second-half hat-trick. He also laid on a goal

for Emilio Butragueno.

In Portugal, Benfica lost for the first time in the League this season after 18 unbeaten games, allowing champions Porto to close to within two points at the top of the table.

Last-minute goals decided the fate of both teams. Semedo scored Porto's late winner in a 2-I away victory over Sporting Lisbon while the second of two penalties that upset Benfica in their match against Boavista came in the dying seconds.

Jorge Andrade clinched the 2-I win for Boavista, who had to play the "home" match on a neutral ground after recent crowd violence at their stadium.

#### The 19-year-old Thoma swept down the track after his first jump, visibly angered that he had to land prematurely when a strong sidewind began pushing

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